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BUGS BUNNY

HELLO, CICERO! WHERE'S PORKY?

HE'S NOT HOME!

SH-H-H--- WHATCHA DOIN'?

I'M GONNA WIN MYSELF *FIVE DOLLARS!*

HOW INTRIGUIN'! BUT *HOW?*

WELL, IF YOU *MUST* KNOW, I'M GONNA ENTER THIS *CONTEST!*

KIDDIES' DRAWING CONTEST

I COULD DO A LOT WITH *FIVE BUCKS!*

The DAILY BLAH

MIND IF I BORROW A PENCIL AND PAPER?

WHATCHA GOIN' TO DO, BUGS?

I'M GONNA SHOW YOU A *REAL* PIECE OF ART WORK!

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I'LL JUST *TRACE* THIS PICTURE OUT OF TH' MAGAZINE AN'---

HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?

JEEPERS! YOU'RE GOOD, BUGS! TOO BAD YOU CAN'T ENTER THE CONTEST!

WHY *CAN'T* I?

'CAUSE IT'S FOR *LITTLE* KIDS ONLY! AN' YOU HAVE TO TAKE YOUR DRAWING DOWN *IN PERSON!*

SLONG, BUGS! I'M GOING DOWN AN' ENTER *MINE* RIGHT *NOW!*

BAH! I MIGHTA *KNOWN* THERE'D BE A *CATCH* TO IT!

SAY-Y-Y! I COULD *DISGUISE* MYSELF AS A LITTLE KID!

I'LL JUST BORROW SOME OF CICERO'S TOGS!

OF COURSE, I'LL HAVE TO FIB A LITTLE ABOUT MY AGE, TOO---

IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS ASKED, I'LL JUST TELL 'EM I'M EXTRA BIG FER MY AGE! HEH-HEH!

THEM LITTLE KIDS WON'T HAVE A CHANCE AGAINST A GREAT ARTIST LIKE ME!

BASEB TODA

OOOOOOH! WHO HIT ME?

WHERE AM I?

THAT'S FUNNY! I CAN'T SEEM TO REMEMBER A THING! NOT EVEN MY NAME!

HERE'S SOMETHING I MUSTA DROPPED..... MAYBE IT WILL PUT SOME LIGHT ON TH SUBJECT!

LET'S SEE.... IT SAYS, "DRAWN BY LITTLE BUGSY BUNNY, AGE 4"

--AGE FOUR!!

OH, MY GOODNESS! WHY, I'M ONLY A WITTLE INFANK!

AN' IF I'M A WITTLE *INFANK*, I SHOULDN' BE GOT HERE BY MY WITTLE SELF WITHOUT MY MAMMA!

WAH! WAH! I WANT MY MAMMA! WAH!

THE POOR WITTLE DEAR IS LOST!

"DAILY BLAH"

THAT'S *THAT*! I'VE ENTERED MY PICTURE IN TH' CONTEST----

---AN' I'VE *STILL* GOT TIME TO SEE SOME OF THE BALL GAME! I HOPE ALL TH' *KNOT HOLES* ARE NOT TAKEN!

WAH!

WHY, IT'S *BUGS*! AN' HE'S IN *MY CLOTHES*!

WHAT'S GOIN' ON HERE?

WAH!

THE LITTLE FELLOW IS LOST! HE DOESN'T EVEN *KNOW* HIS MOTHER'S NAME!

WAH!

ACCORDING TO THIS, HIS NAME IS *BUGS BUNNY*, AGE FOUR!

JUST AS I THOUGHT! THIS KID HAS HAD A *TERRIFIC* BLOW ON HIS HEAD!

YOU MEAN--?

RIGHT, LADY! THE KID HAS UNDOUBTEDLY HAD A COMPLETE LAPSE OF MEMORY-- AN *AMNESIA* VICTIM!

OH, BOY! HERE'S MY CHANCE TO HAVE SOME *FUN* WITH BUGS!

SURELY *SOMEBODY* KNOWS THIS KID!

I KNOW HIM, OFFICER!

BUGS! DON'T YOU KNOW *ME*?

I NEVER SAW YOU IN MY WHOLE WITTLE LIFE!

TELL THE OFFICER WHO I AM SO HE CAN TAKE ME TO MY MAMMA! SHE MUST BE WORRIED SICK!

WHY, *YOU'RE* AN *ORPHAN*! DON'T YOU *REMEMBER*?

AN *ORPHAN*!! *ME*??

THANKS FOR THE INFORMATION, SONNY! I'LL TAKE HIM OVER TO THE *ORPHAN'S' HOME*!

HEH! HEH! I GUESS I FIXED *HIM*! SERVES HIM RIGHT TOO!

BA TOO!

HOW AWFUL! *ME*! WITTLE *ORPHAN BUGSY*!

STATE ORPHANS' HOME

Later...

IN THE OFFICE OF MARTA STONE, HEAD OF THE ORPHANAGE

HERE'S ANOTHER ORPHAN FOR YOU, MRS. STONE!

♪♪ BUSSY BUNNY ABE FOUR? EH? MY! WHAT A CHARMING LITTLE FELLOW! ♪♪

YEP! AND HE'S SMART, TOO!

TANK YOU, OFFICER! YOU'VE BEEN MOST KIND!

BYE, BYE, OFFICER!

GOOD LUCK, KID!

TOODLE, DOODLE!

!!!

ENOUGH OF YOUR SILLY BLATHER-INGS!

THE BRATS AROUND HERE *WORK* FOR THEIR KEEP! UNDERSTAND? *WORK*!!

ER... BUT I'M SO YOUNG!

NEVER MIND ABOUT *THAT*! MOP THAT FLOOR AND MAKE IT *SNAPPY*!

EEK!

AND IF IT'S NOT *SPOTLESS* WHEN I COME BACK, I'LL MOP THE FLOOR *MYSELF*---

---WITH *YOU!!*

SLAM

HELLO! YOU'RE *NEW* HERE, AREN'T YOU?

YETH, I AM! MY NAME'S *WITTLE BUSSY BUNNY!*

DING! DONG!

DINNER TIME! LET'S GO!

FOOD! I KNEW THITH JOINT MUTH HAVE ITS *GOOD* POINTS! THAT WORK-OUT THURS DID GIVE ME AN *APPETITE!*

OH, *BOY!* I CAN ALMOTH *THEE* TH' GOODIES NOW--- WOATH BEEF, THMOTHERED IN CARROTS, WOATH TURKEY, CHOCOLATE THODAS---

HEY!! THERE'S NOTHIN' ON MY PLATE BUT *BREAD AND WATER!*

SURE! WE HAVE IT *EVERY* DAY---

THREE TIMES A DAY!

DON'T YOU EVER GET ANYTHING *ELTH* ?

YOU MEAN THERE *IS* SOMETHING ELSE IN THE WORLD THAT'S FIT TO EAT ?

??

IT'S A DIS*GRACE*! I'M GOING IN THERE AND GIVE HER A PIECE OF MY MIND!

UTH WITTLE ORPHANS ARE GETTIN' *GYPPED*, THATH'S WHAT!

IVATE

KNOCK! KNOCK!

COME IN!

DID YOU WISH TO SEE ME ?

YETH! I WANT TO MAKE A COMPLAINT!

WHY, CERTAINLY! *MISTER* STONE TAKES CARE OF ALL THE LITTLE FOLKS' COMPLAINTS!

IT'S ABOUT THITH BREAD AND WATER YOU'RE FEEDIN' UTH POOR WITTLE ORPHANS--

YEH? *WHAT ABOUT IT* ?

ER-- NOTHIN'-- ONLY I JUST THOUGHT IT MIGHT BE NICE TO *CHANGE* OUR DIET A *WEE* BIT!

YEAH??

YETH! INSTEAD OF BREAD AND WATER EVERY DAY, I THOUGHT WE MIGHT HAVE *MOLDY* BREAD AND *HOT* WATER SOMETIME---- JUST FOR A CHANGE!

AN EXCELLENT IDEA! *NOW GET OUT!*

SOMETHING TELLS ME THAT ORPHAN BUNNY IS GOING TO BE A *TROUBLE MAKER!*

HE SEEMS AWFUL *SMART* FOR HIS AGE, TOO! I SUPPOSE HE SHOULD FIND OUT ABOUT *US* ?

YOU MEAN ABOUT US GIVING THEM BRATS BREAD AND WATER WHEN TH' STATE PAYS US FER *FOOD* ?

SHUT UP YOU FOOL!

I WOULDN'T SURPRISE ME IF THAT PESKY RABBIT WASN'T *EAVES-DROPPING* OUTSIDE OUR DOOR *RIGHT NOW!*

!!

HE AIN'T AROUND! YOU'RE JUST GETTIN' *JUMPY!*

SO THAT'S WHERE THEY GET THEIR RICH IDEA OF OUR WONDERFUL GUARDIANS!

AND IS THERE ANY QUESTION?

WH-WHAT'D SHE SAY? GUARDIANS? N-N-NOMEE?

SHE SAID AS A GAG--SHE SAID THAT WAS A JOKE!

SHE'S JUST BEEN HEAD CLEANED OF A LOAD OF M-M-MEMORIES AND NOW SHE'S M-M-MAD AT ME!

I'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE!

SUSIE'S JUST WON'T GIVE ME YOU! AFTER ALL WE'VE BEEN THROUGH! GRAWR!

I'LL BE BACK FOR YOU LATER!

I'M GOING TO ACCEPT AN ORPHAN!

NO NOBODY SUMMON THE LITTLE BEARS!

YOU KNOW, I'VE ALWAYS WONDERED WHICH ONE WOULD WIN...

KIDDIES!

...AND THAT ONE!

I'M SURE YOU HAD WHAT IT TAKES ALONG SPLENDIDLY!

WE ALWAYS HA-HAVE--- --ER, I MEAN, WE ALWAYS W-W-ILL, I'M S-S-SURE!

"I WAS AN EVIL *TWWEET* IF YOU TO ADOPT ME GRANDPAW!

"HE

B-BUT I FEEL LIKE A WITTLE *HEEL* FOR RUNNIN' OUT ON MY WITTLE FRENDS AN LEAVIN' THEM TO *STARVE!*

S-S-S-*STARVE*??

VETH! TH' STONES ARE *STEALIN'* THE MONEY THE STATE PAYTH THEM FOR OUR FOOD! I HEARD ALL ABOUT IT WITH MY OWN WITTLE EARS!

I THINK YOU'D B-B-BETTER TELL *THAT* TO TH' C-C-C-COPS!

--- S TH *TRUTH*, SO HELP ME!

YOU'VE DONE THE STATE A GREAT SERVICE ORPHAN SUNNY!

THE STONES WILL GET *TWENTY YEARS* FOR THEIR CRIME! AND I'LL SEE TO IT THAT THE *NEXT* HEAD OF THE *HOME* IS A KIND PERSON!

YOU MUST BE AWFUL PROUD OF YOUR ADOPTED TWO GRANDPAW!

BUGS! PORKY! ARE YOU GOING TO A MASQUERADE?

EE-YES!

THAT! WHO IS THAT GRANDPAW? SHE KNOWS MY NAME!

YOU MAY AS WELL KNOW BUGS... ... YOU'RE NOT A FOUR YEAR OLD ORPHAN!

I'M NOT THAT WHO ITH I?

CLOSE YOUR EYES AND K-K-K-YOU'LL FIND OUT!

OKAY!

PORKY! WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?

HE'S SUFFERING FROM AMNESIA. I'D'D DETUNA AN' A SONG' HIS ANOTHER BLOW ON THE HEAD CURES 'EM!

SQUEAL

WHAT HIT ME? WHERE AM I? ??

DO YOU KNOW ME NOW BUGS?

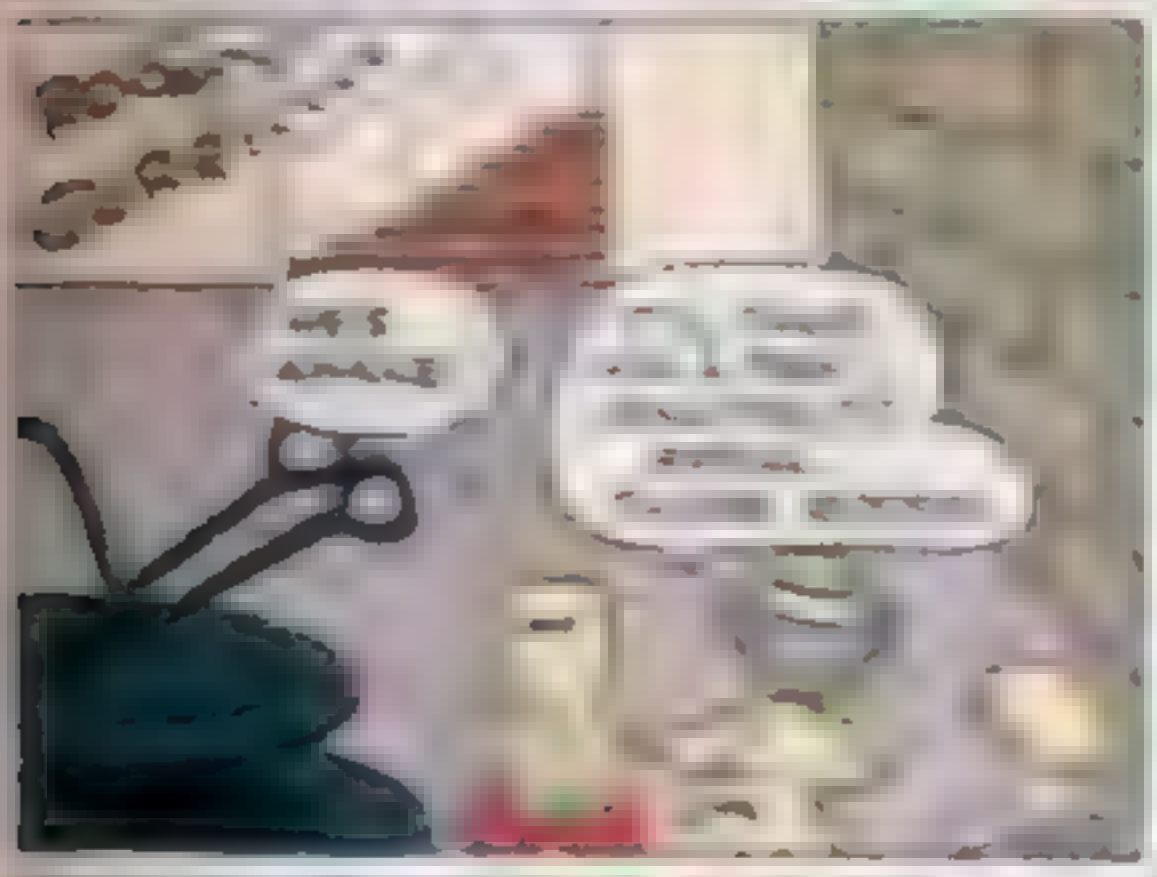
I DON'T KNOW YOU!

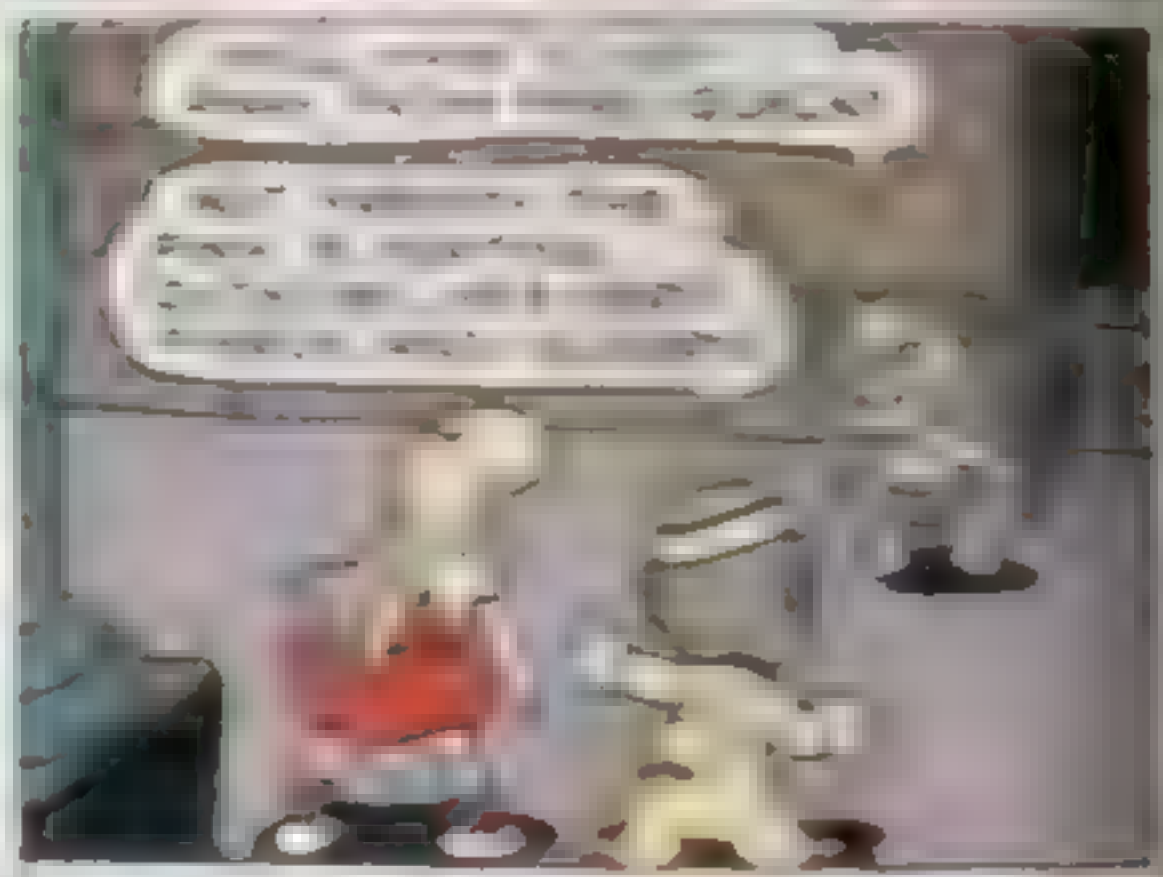
CRACK ME ON THE HEAD AGAIN QUICK! I'M FALSE AGAIN! HE'S GOING TO FOOL US AS PORKY PIG!

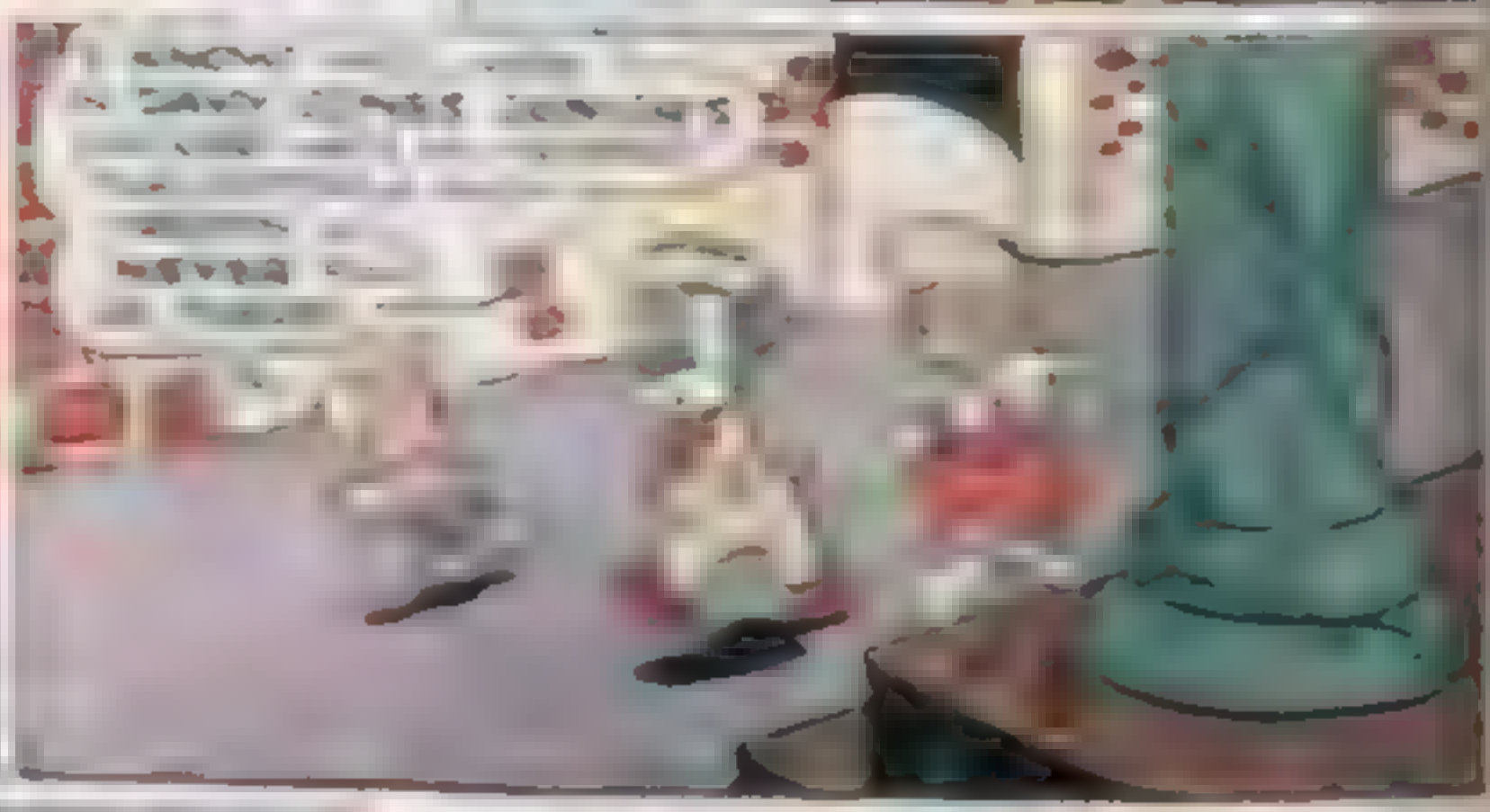
SNUFFLES and MARY JANE

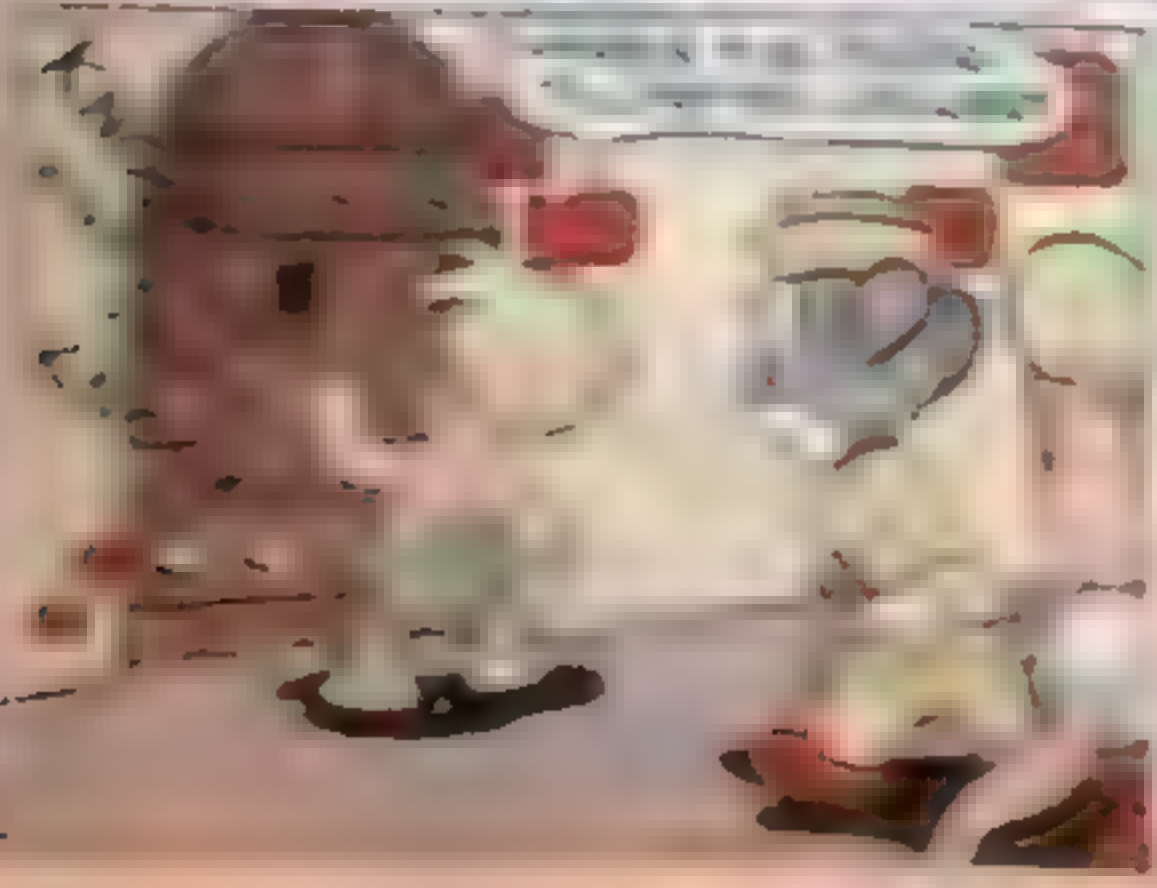
SAFE

THANK YOU



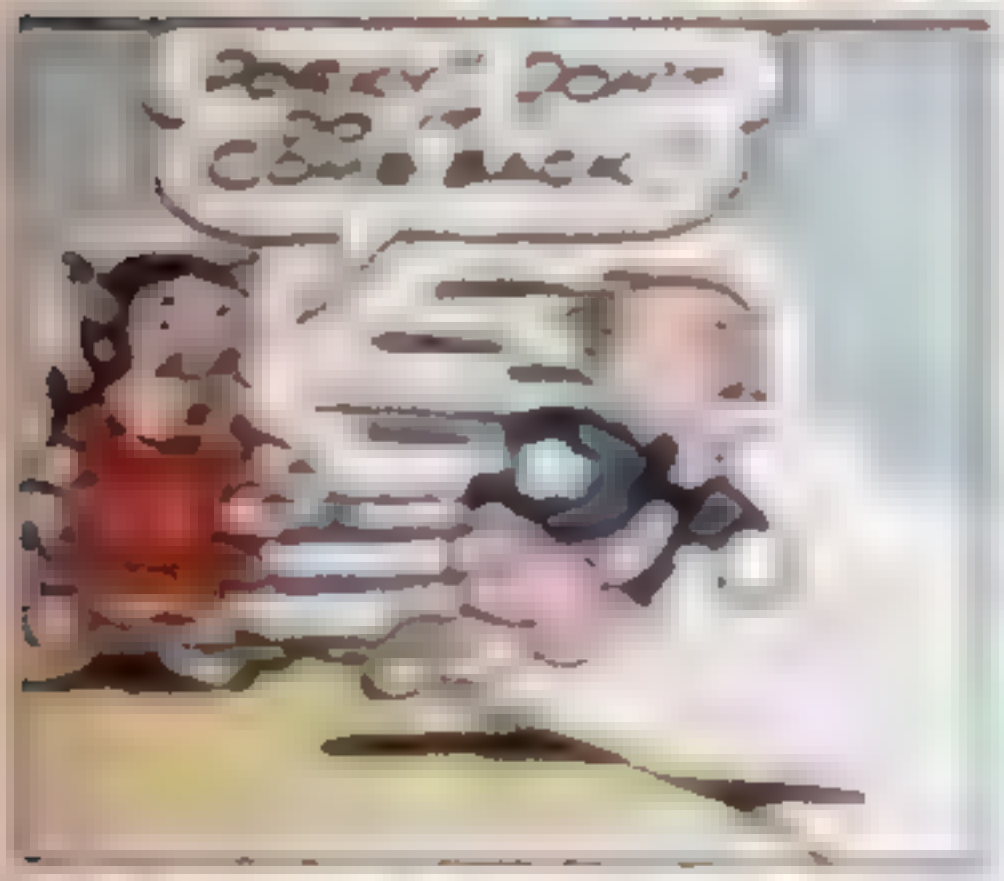


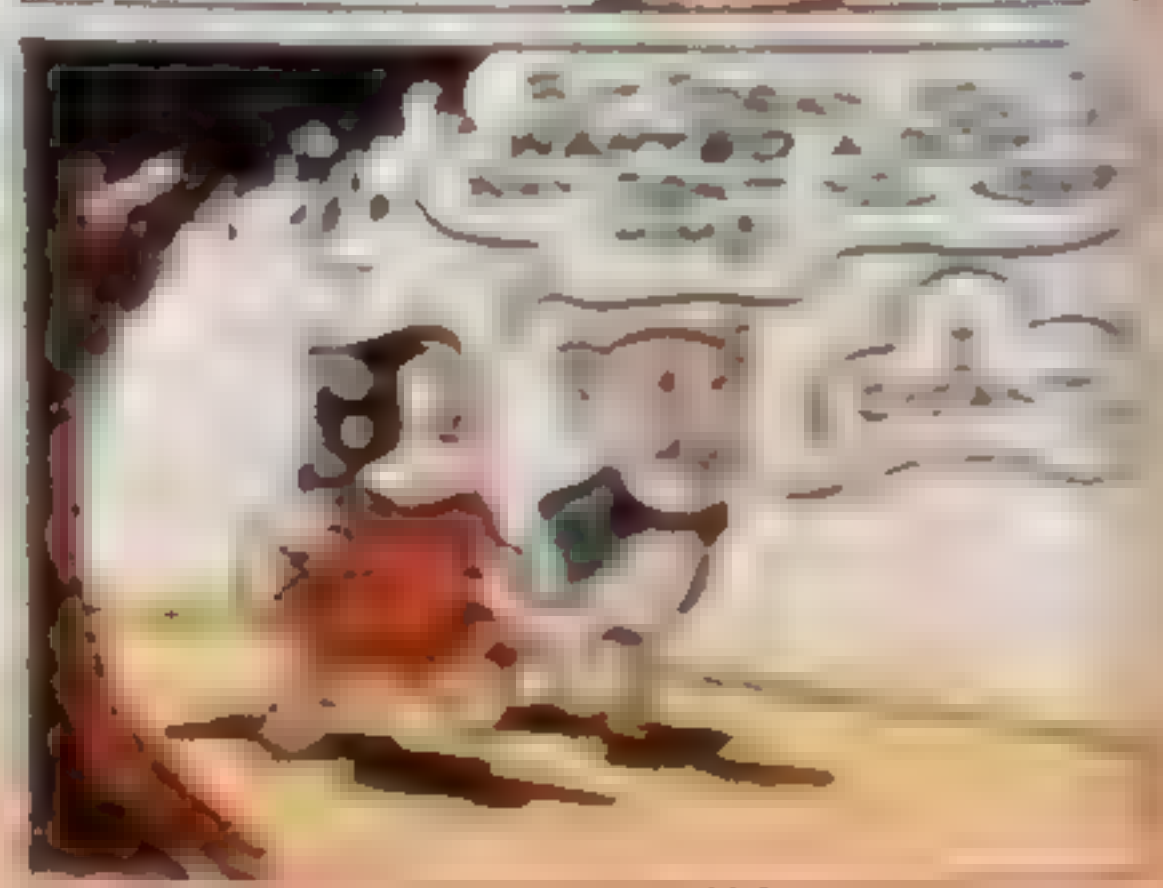


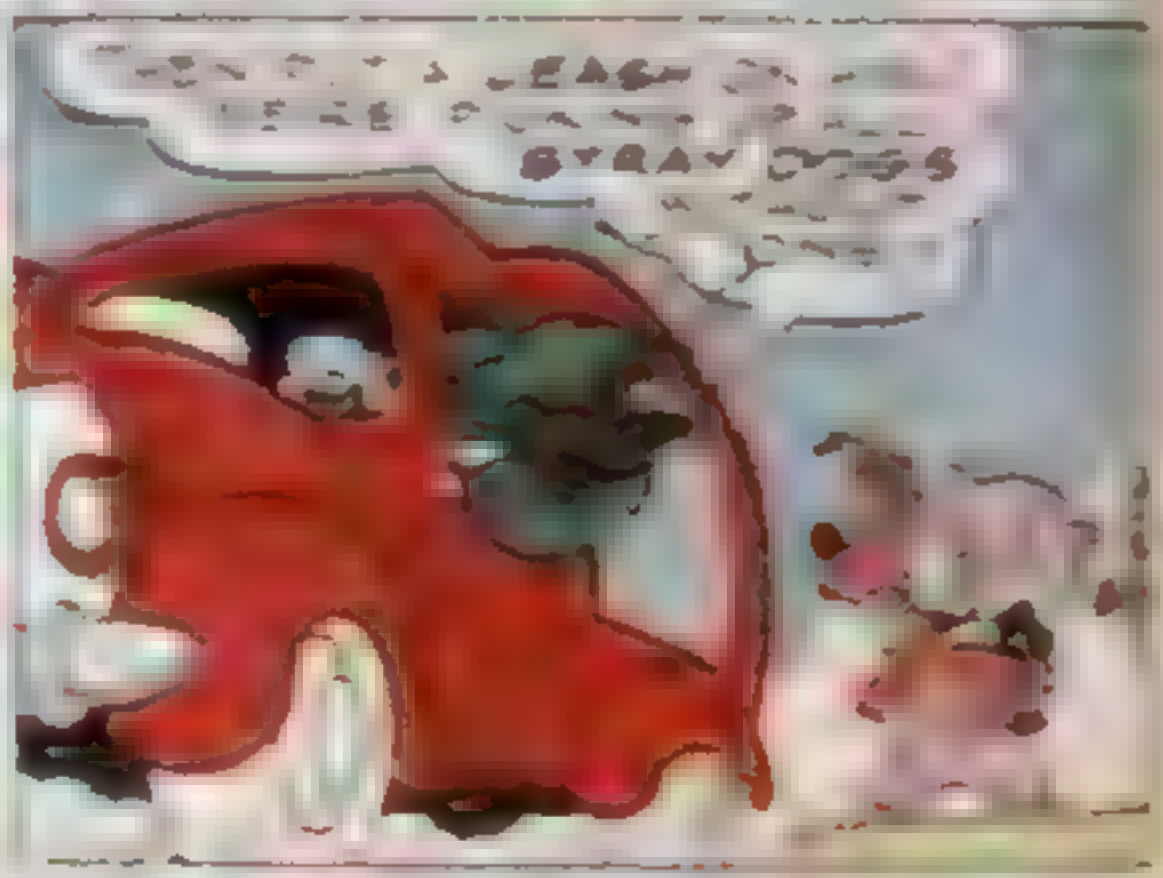


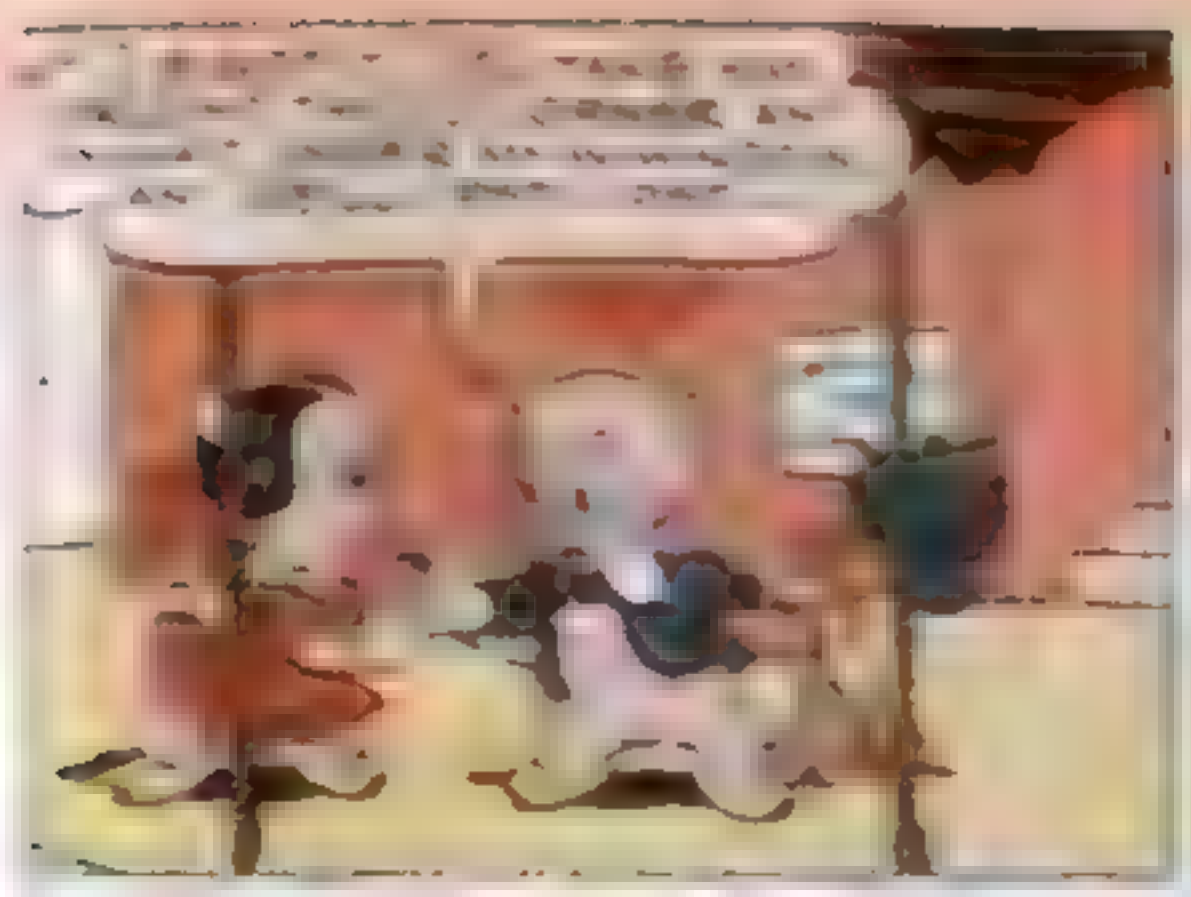
SPLASH

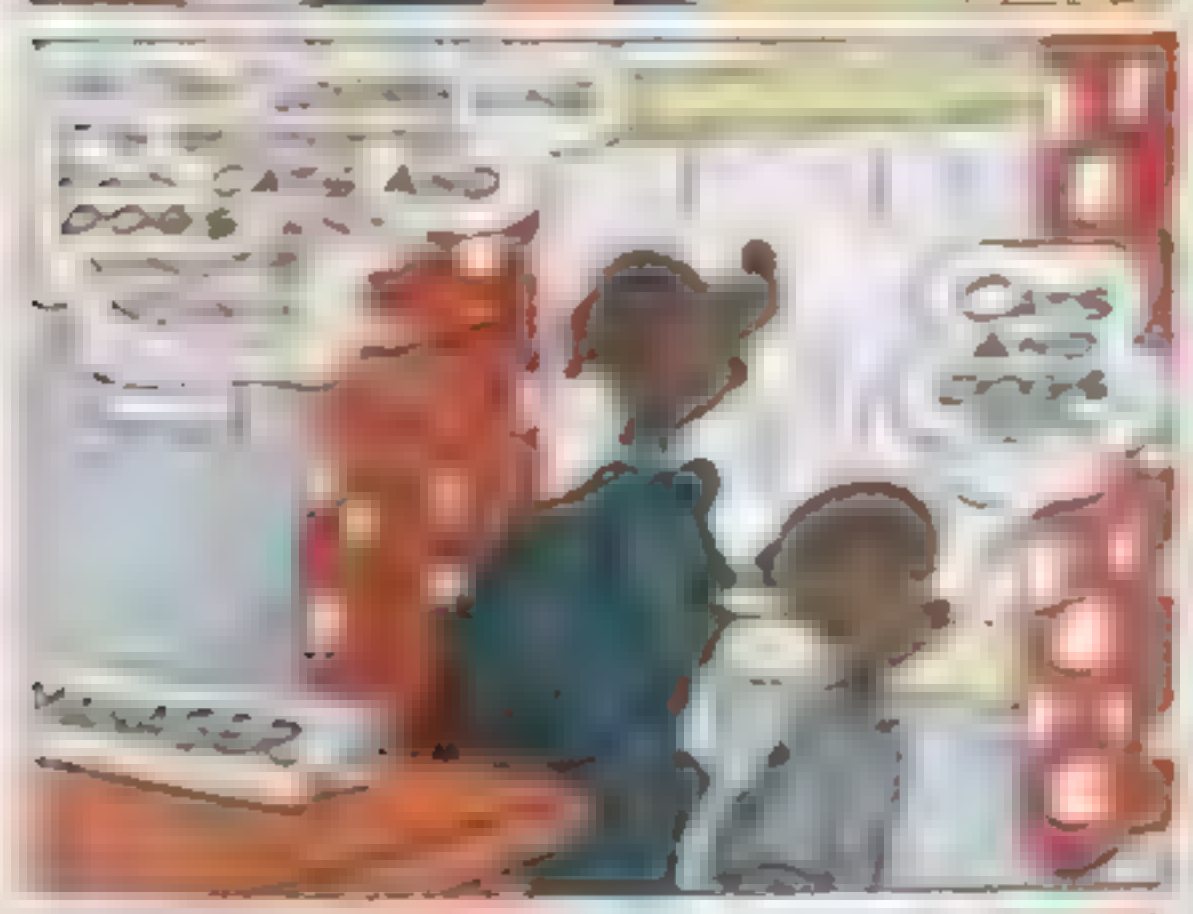
PORKY PIG









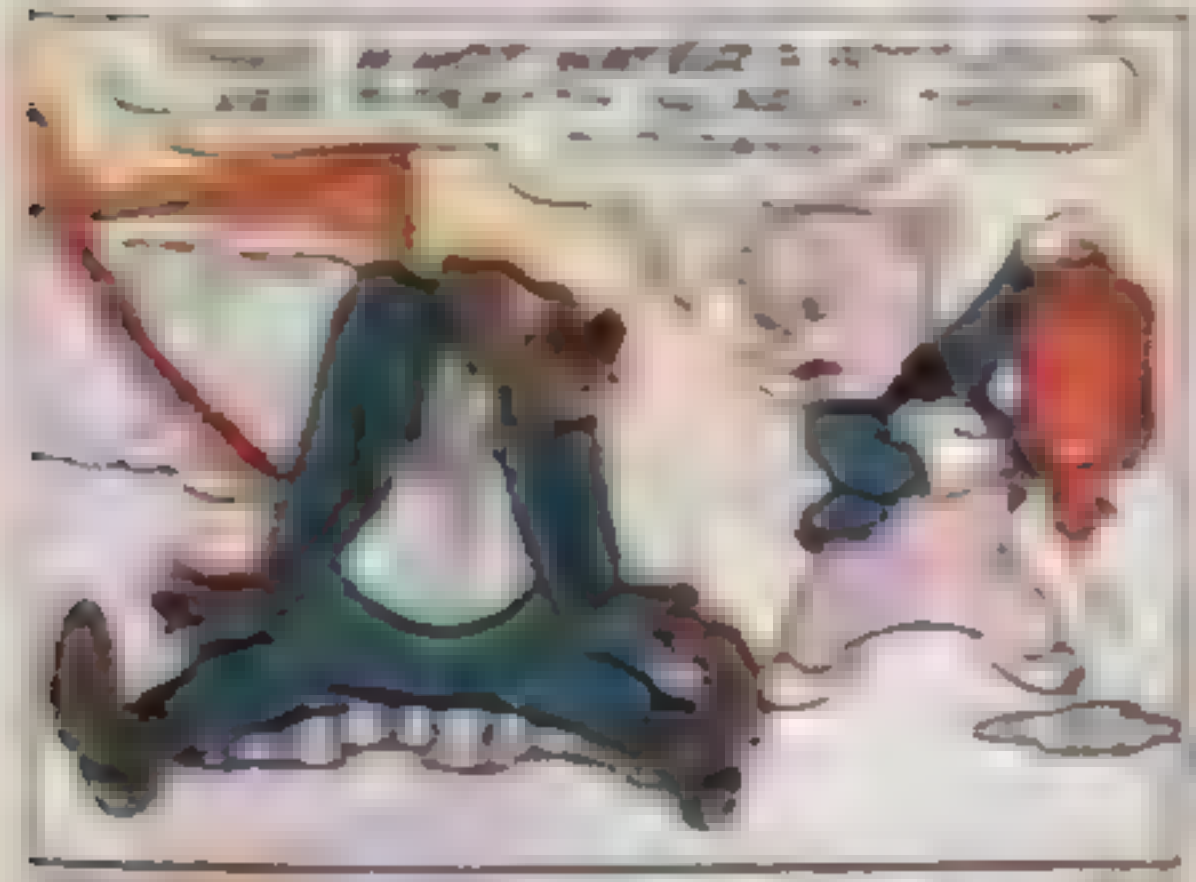


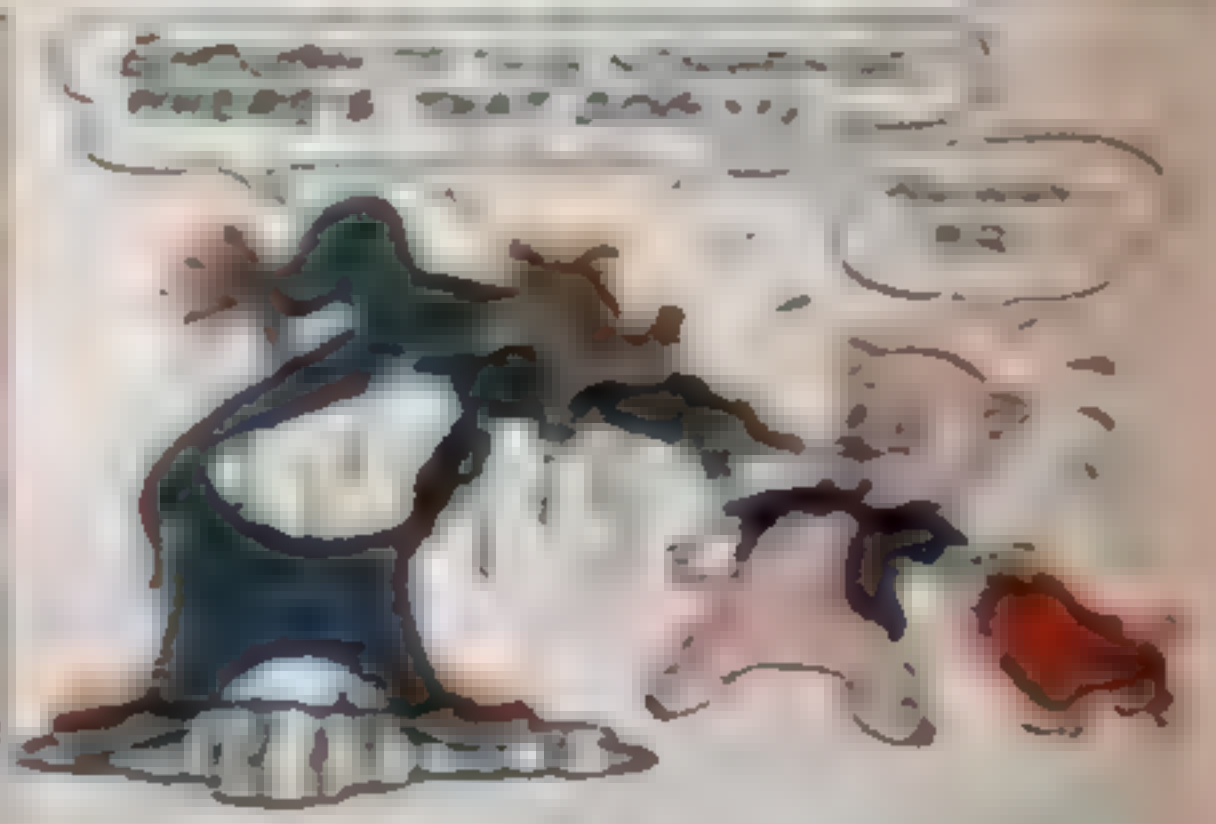
OPEN UP! I SAY!

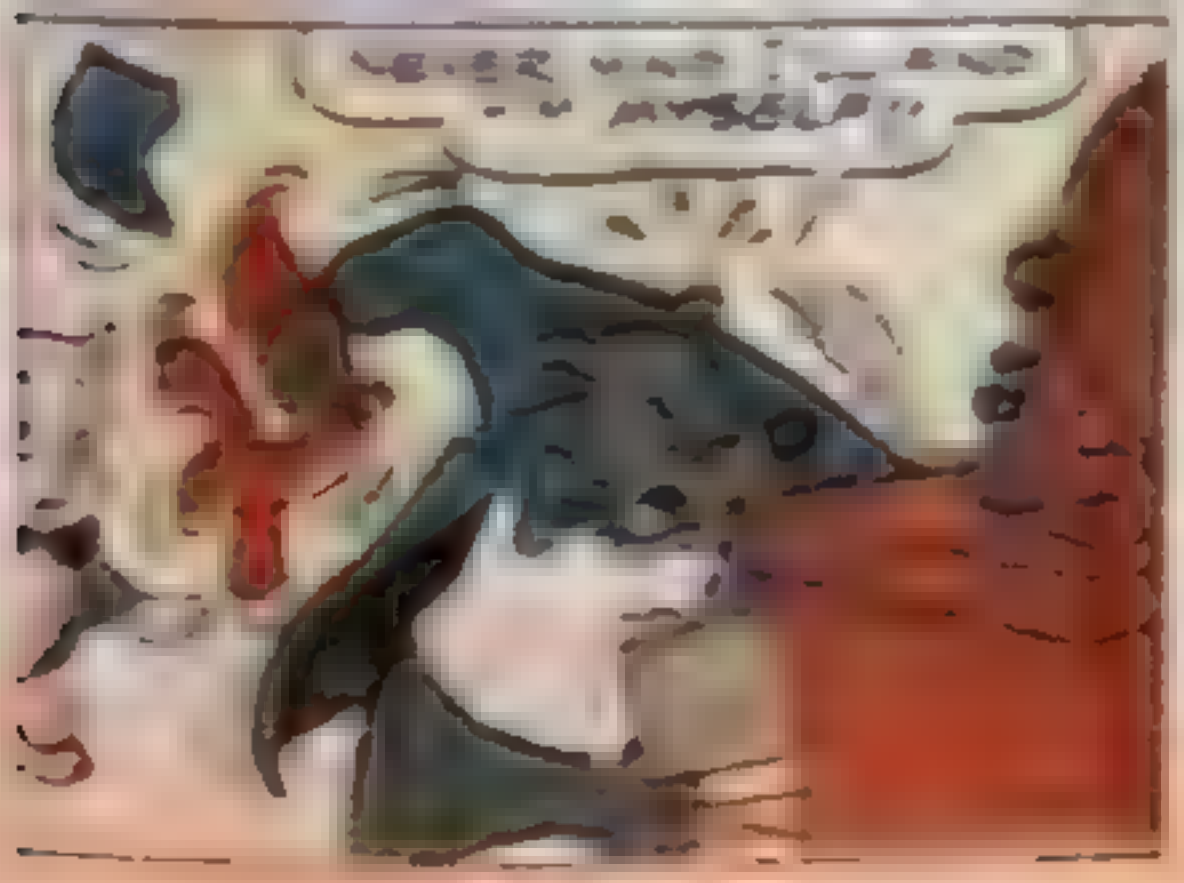
BANG!

BANG!

WHERE IS HE??







ARF ARF

!!!

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!!!

ARF ARF

AN ADORABLY YOUNG
AND I'M CONVINCED
VERY SMART
LITTLE GIRL!

I'M SORRY, YOU'RE
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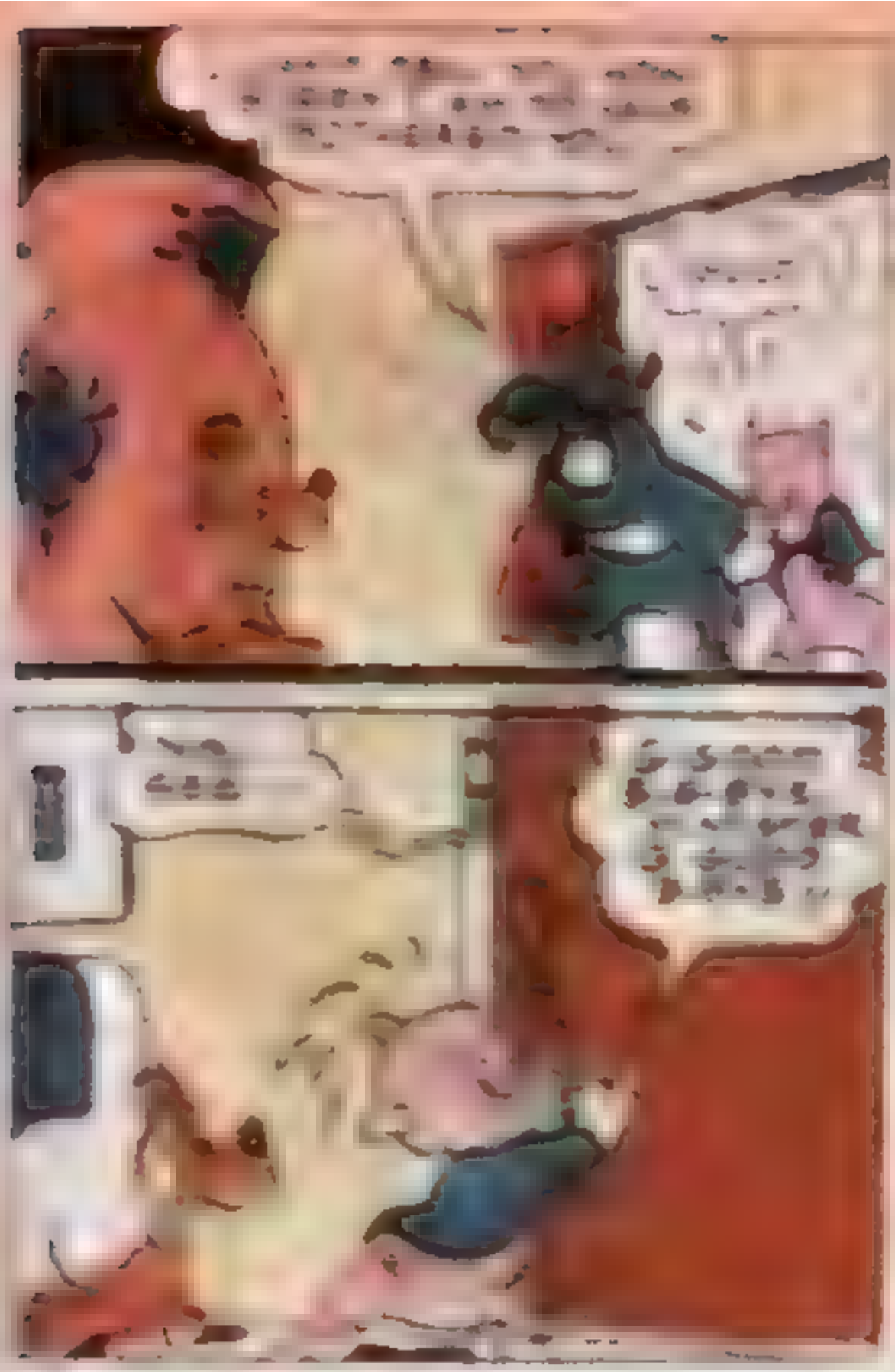
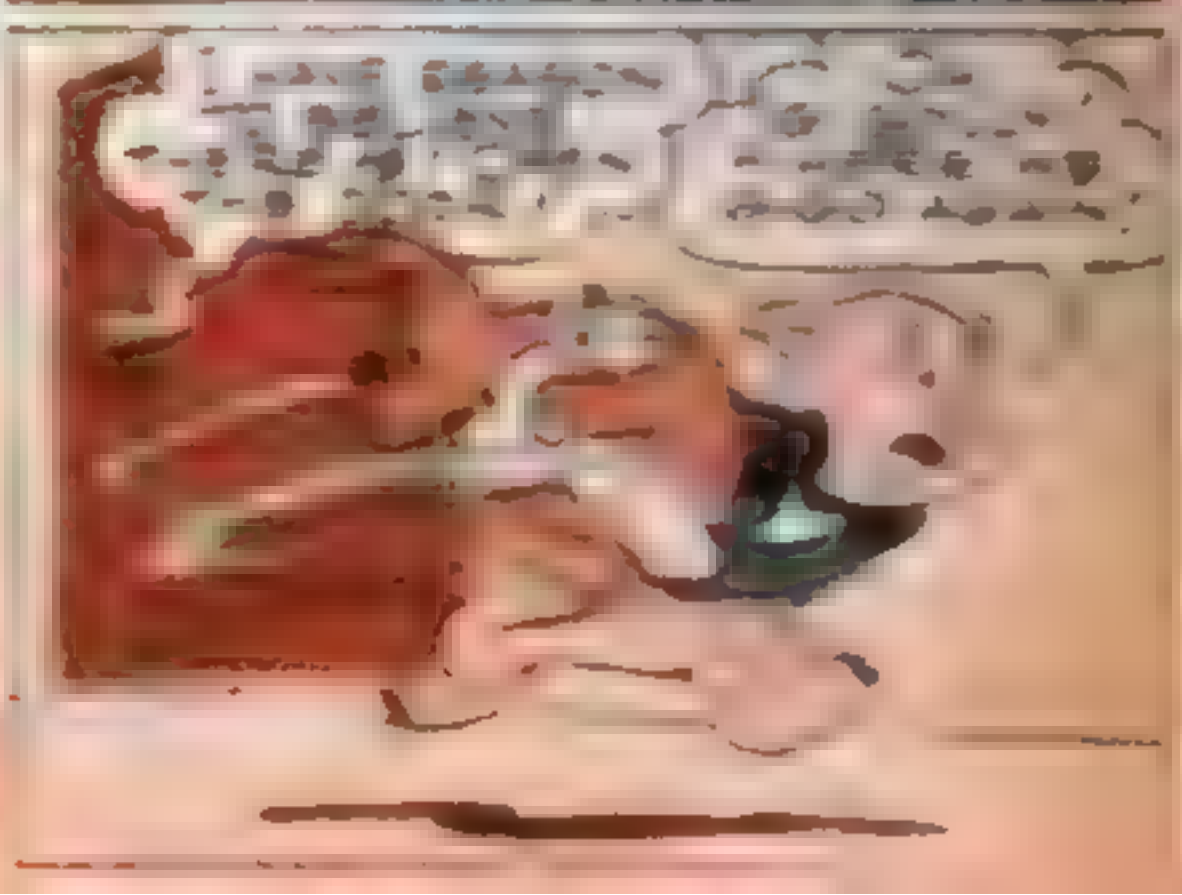
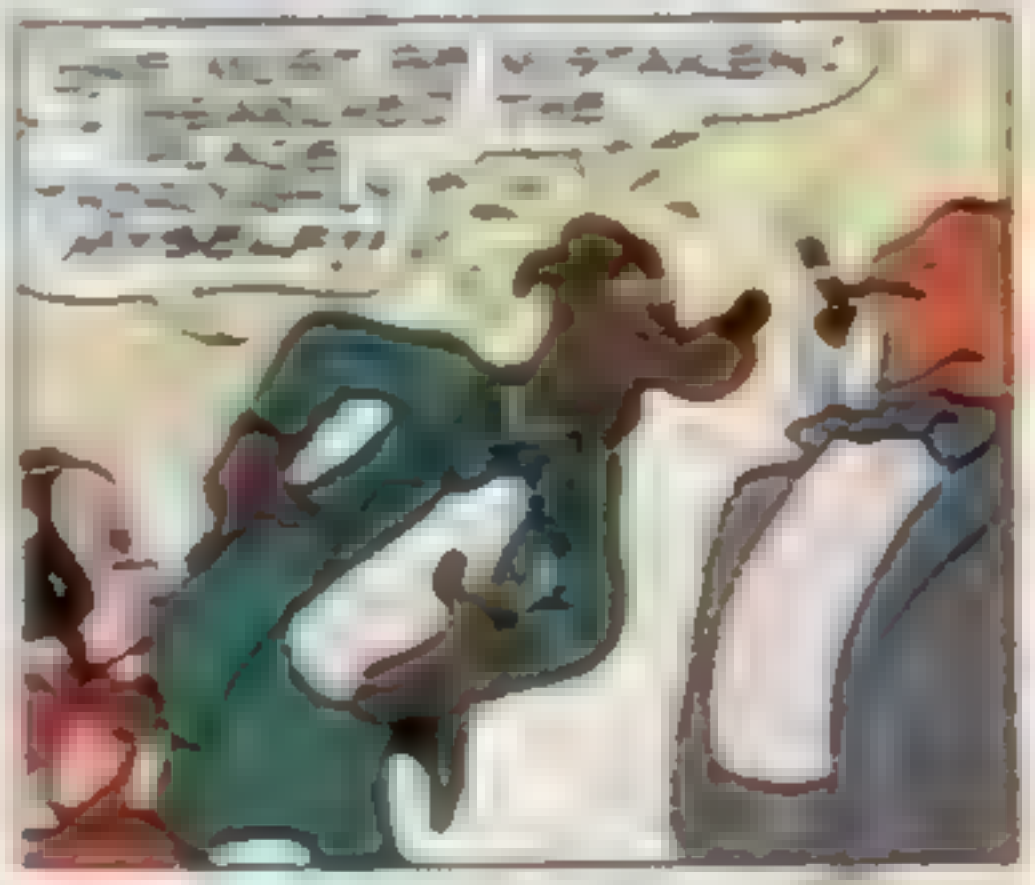
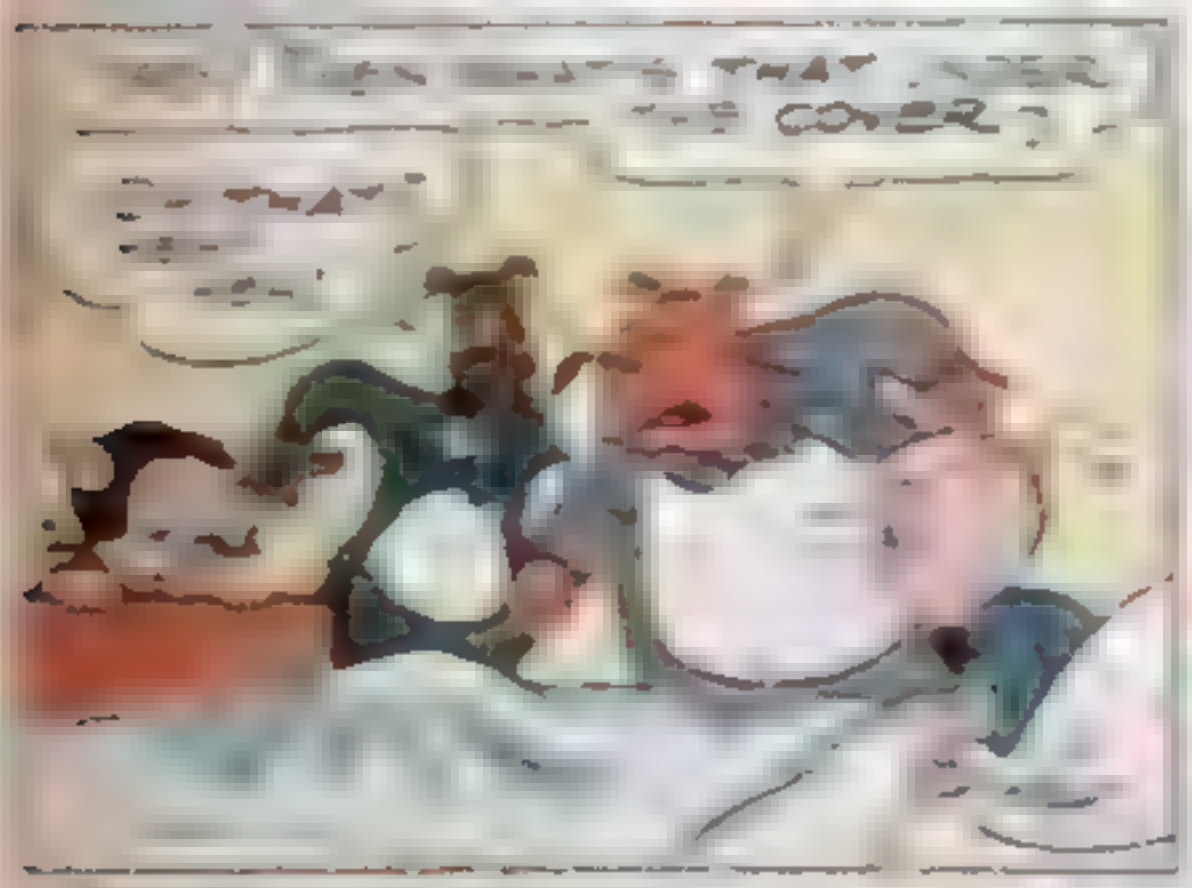
LITTLE GIRL!





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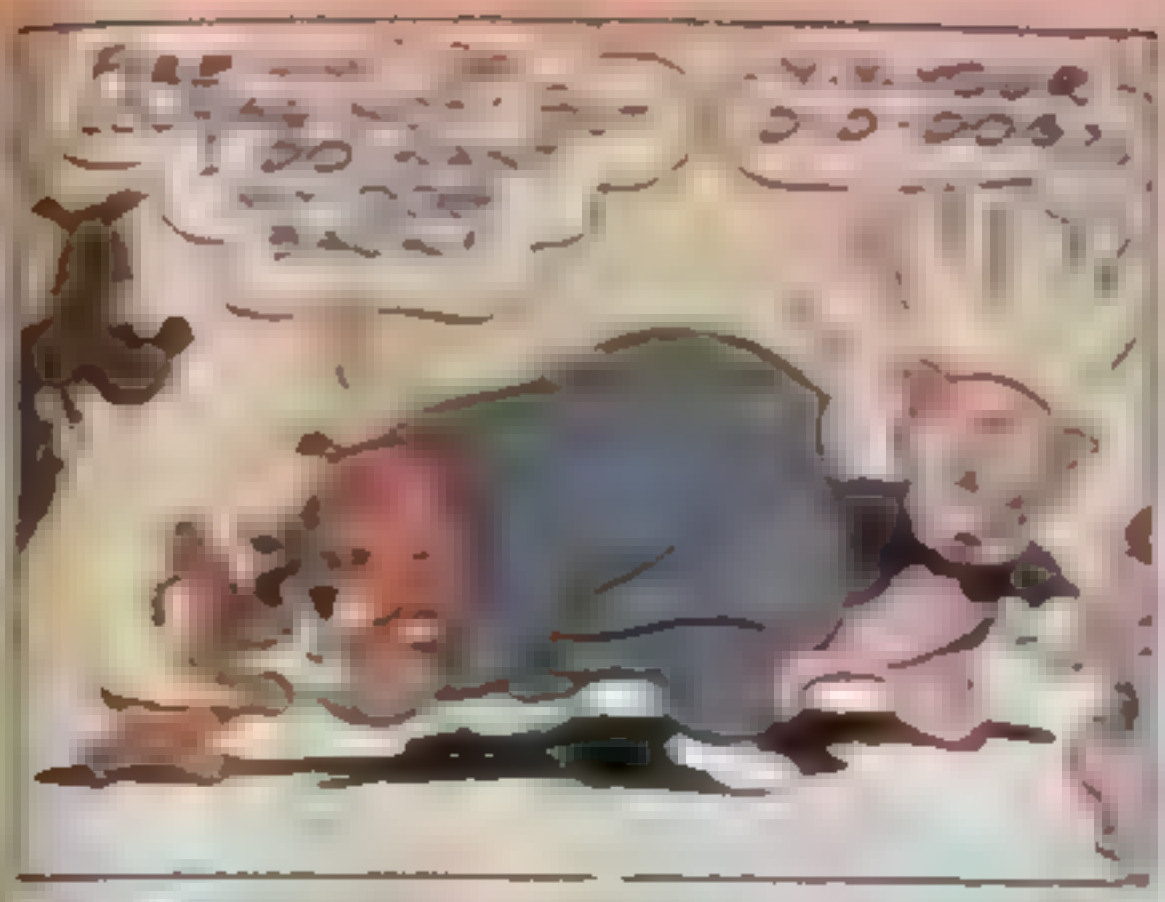
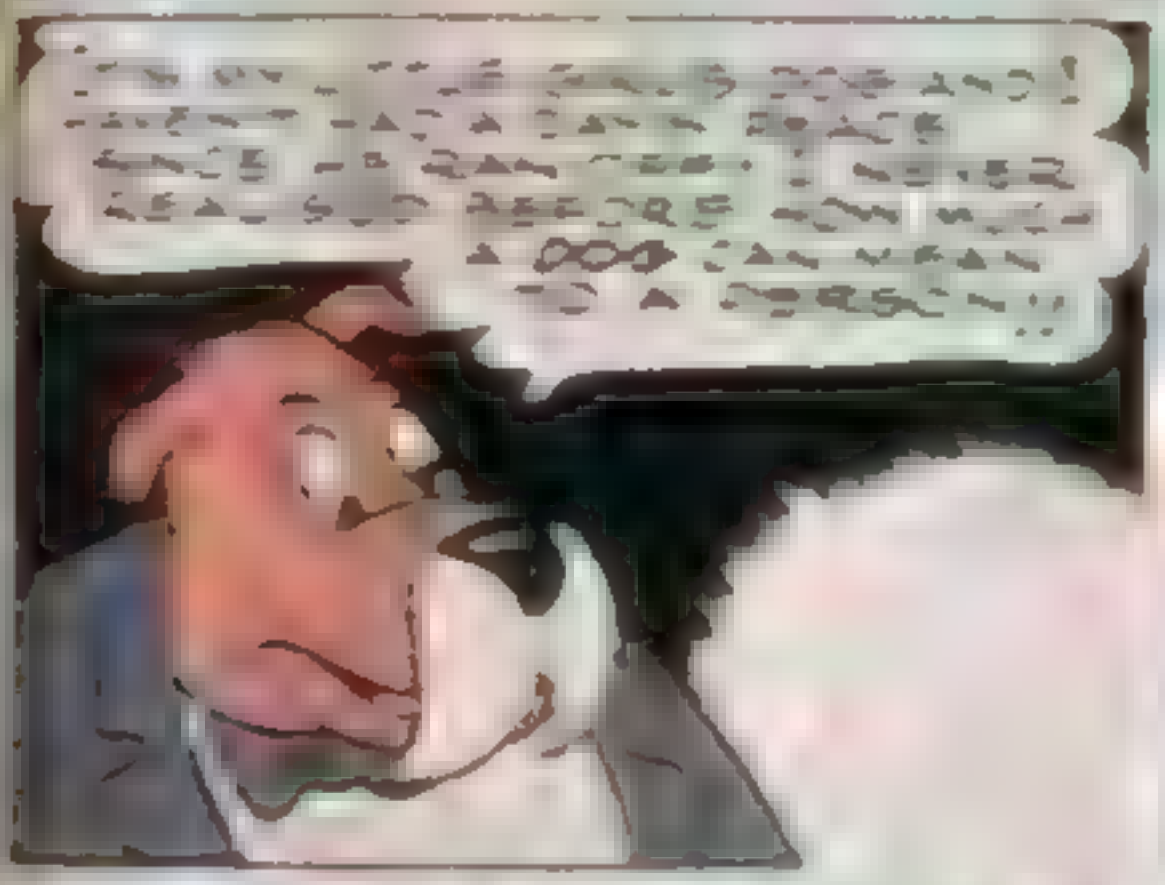
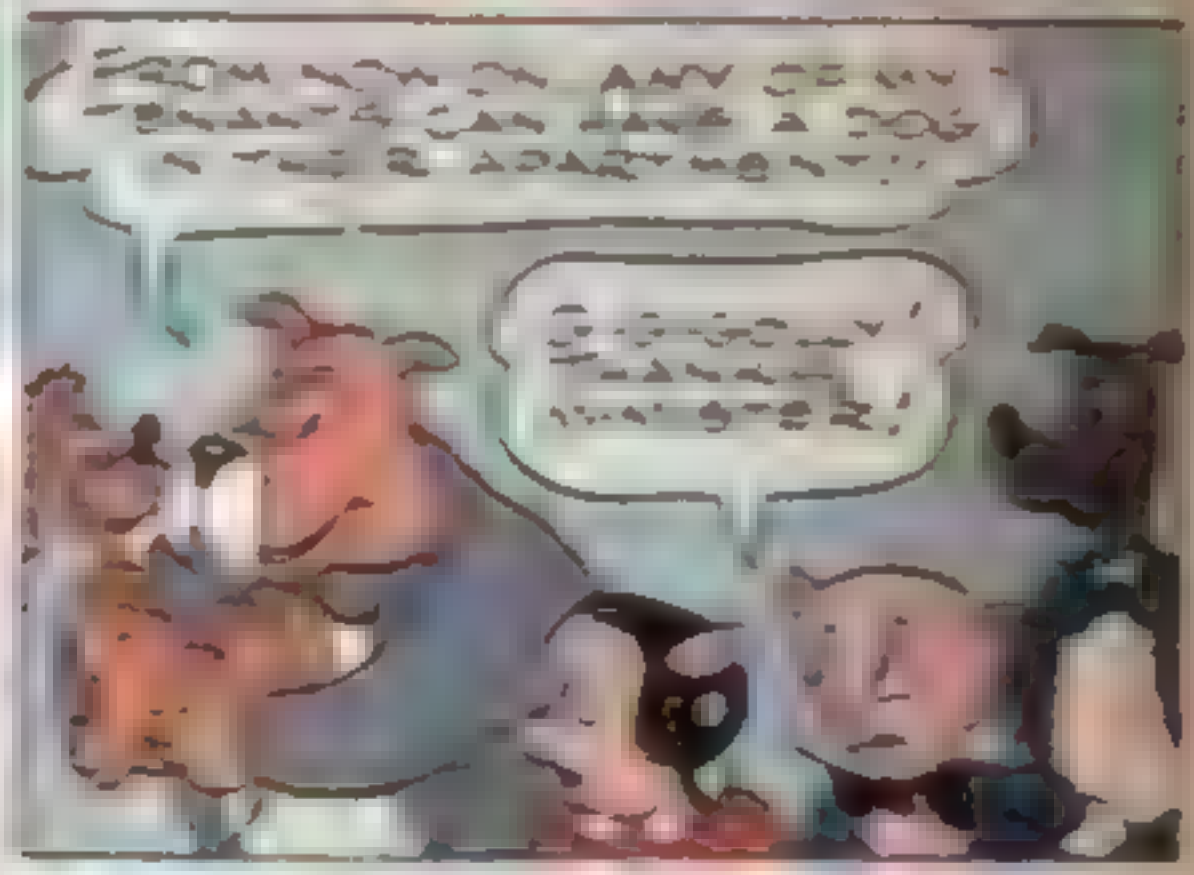
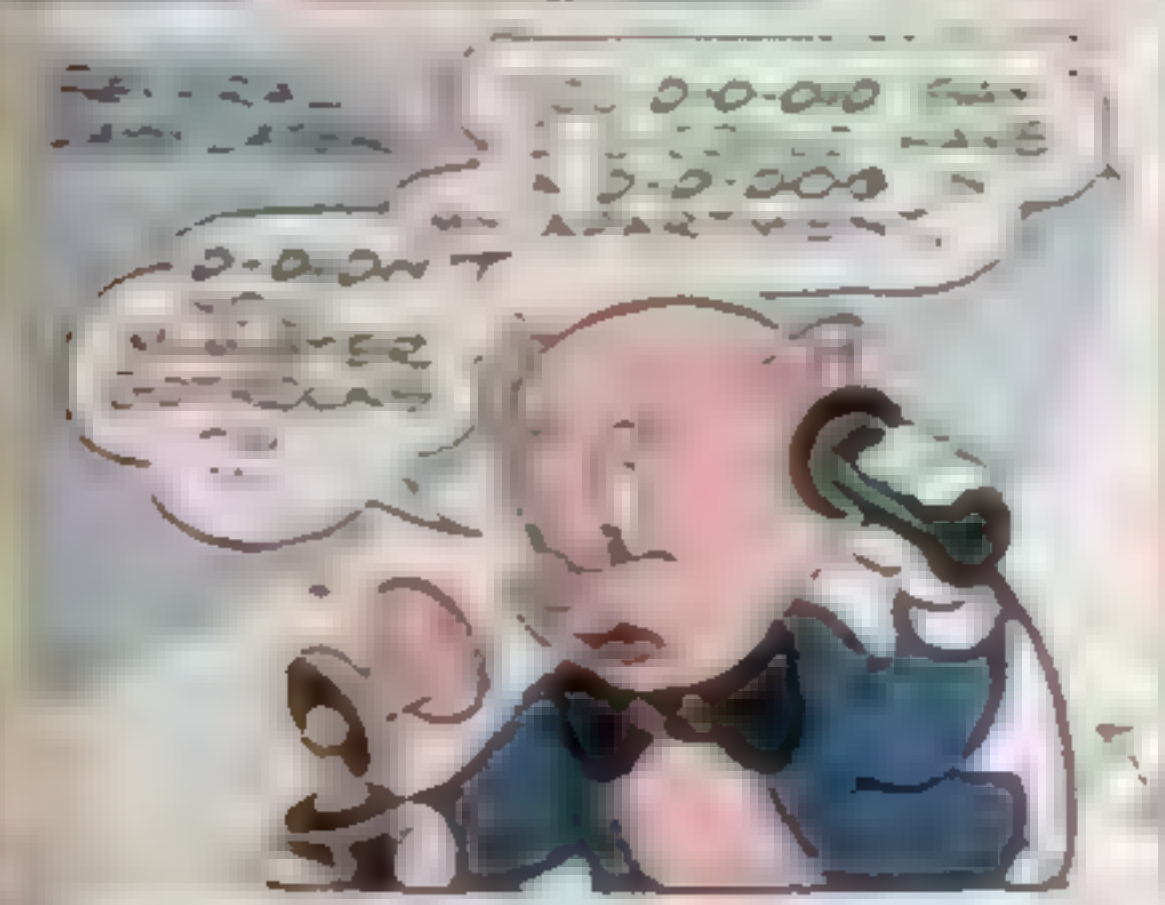
GOOD-EATING

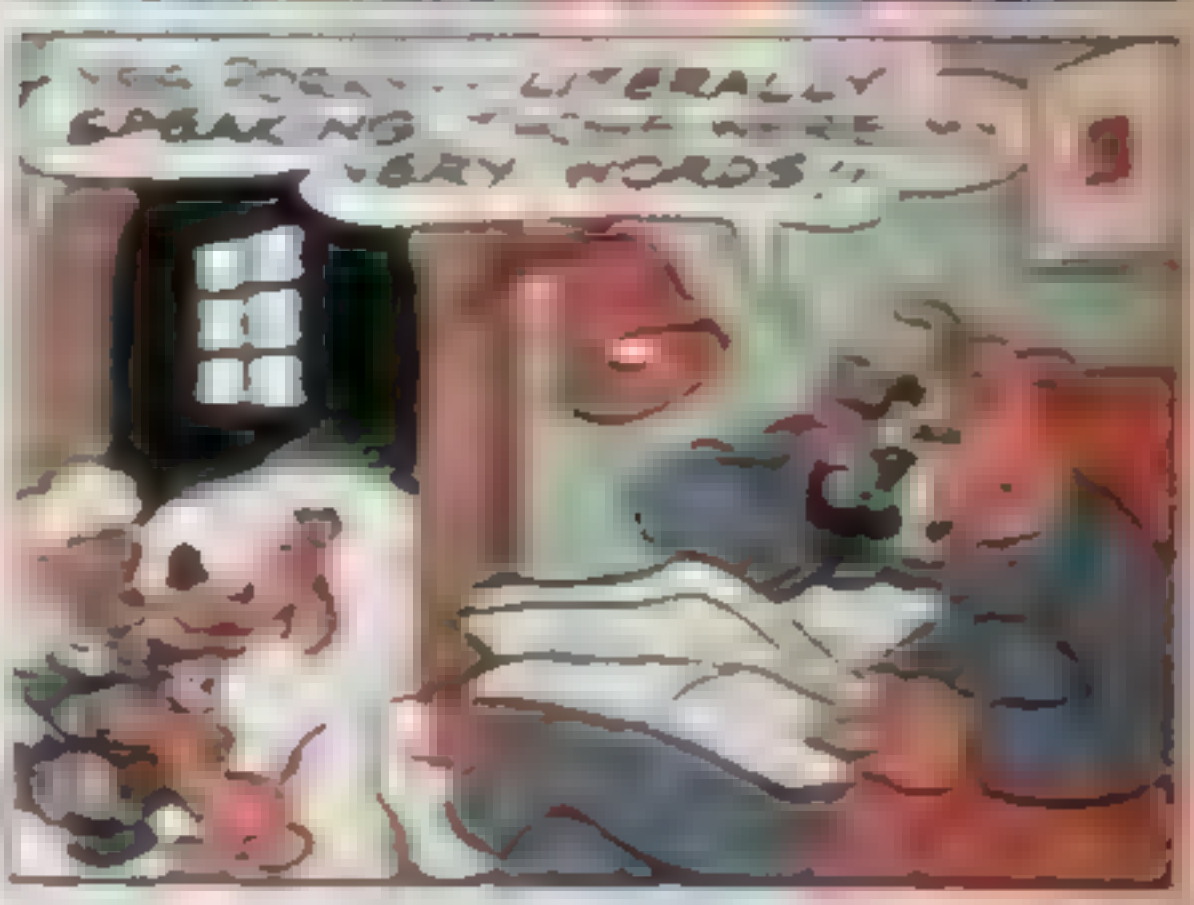
SEE."











PORKY'S BURIED TREASURE

Porky Pig was standing in the middle of his back yard. His chubby arms waved briskly, up and down, up and down. His round face was red and damp with the exertion.

He paused when a loud laughing noise called to him. Bugs Bunny was peering over the fence grinning at him.

"What Doc' Shot' you gonna dig for?" Bugs asked.

"I'm digging for my garden," Porky told him, resuming his task. "I'm going to have a big one this year. I'm digging to have one for Elmer."

"Elmer's dead," Bugs said, leaning on his spade.

"I'm glad to hear that," Porky exclaimed. "If you'll help me with my garden we'll have a big piece of carrots just for you."

"No sweat! I can get all the carrots I want without working," Bugs roared. "You go ahead and dig, Porky. I'll stay here outside and rest and watch."

"You're most welcome, Mister Bugs Bunny," Porky cried angrily. "You'll be [illegible]"

So Porky returned to his digging. Bugs leaned on the fence and rested and watched. Now and then he muttered [illegible]

Porky, preoccupied, not to hear him. He went on digging, and when he had a small, pudgy arms as the spade turned the hard, brown earth.

Suddenly the spade struck something that clanked.

"Hmm?" Porky murmured. "I wonder what that is?"

He dug deeper. He pushed and shoved. Finally, he came a rusty-looking box.

Porky dropped his spade and picked up the box. It was heavy.

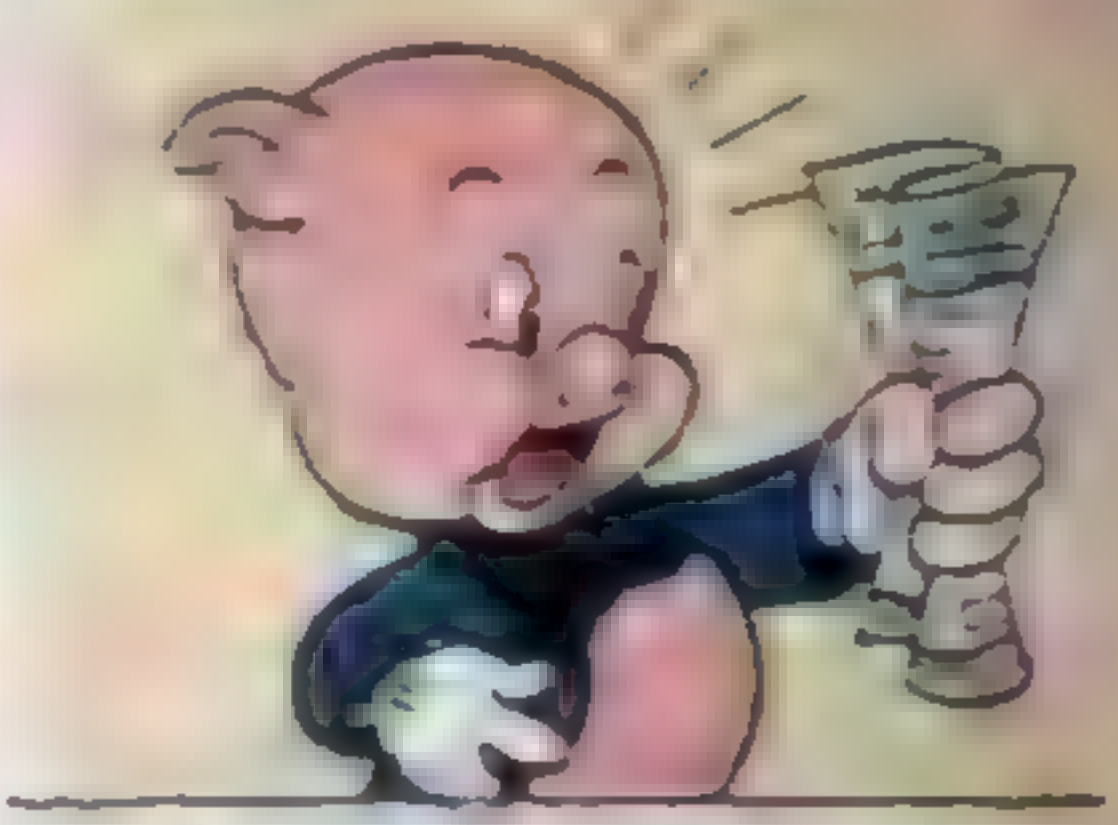
"There must be a treasure in it," Porky decided and began to pry off the rusted lid.

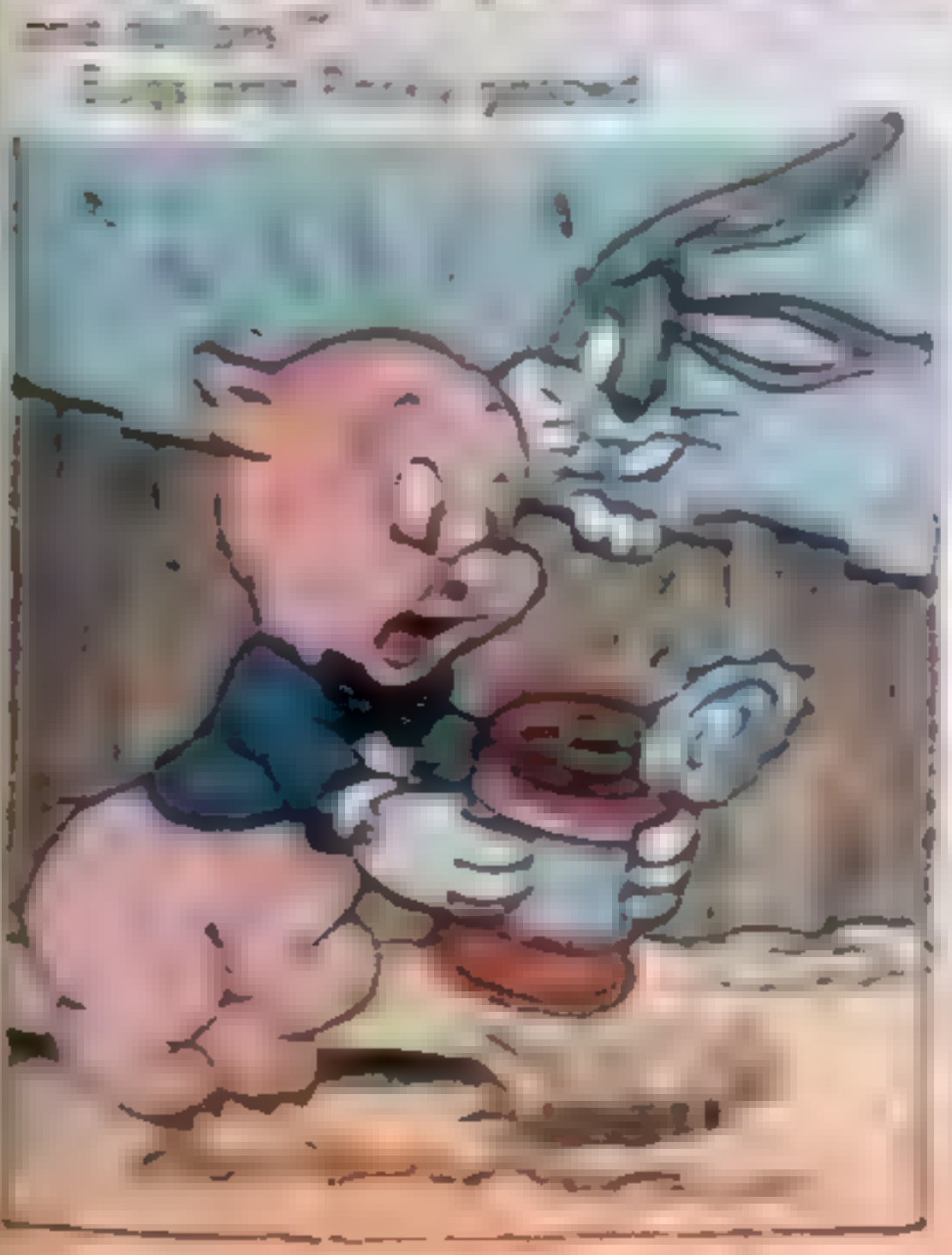
"Gosh!" Porky cried when he had it off. "It-Look at this!"

"What?" Bugs yelled and leaped over the fence.

"Jeepers!" he whistled when he looked into the box.

"There must be a million of them!" Bugs exclaimed. "That's count 'em!"





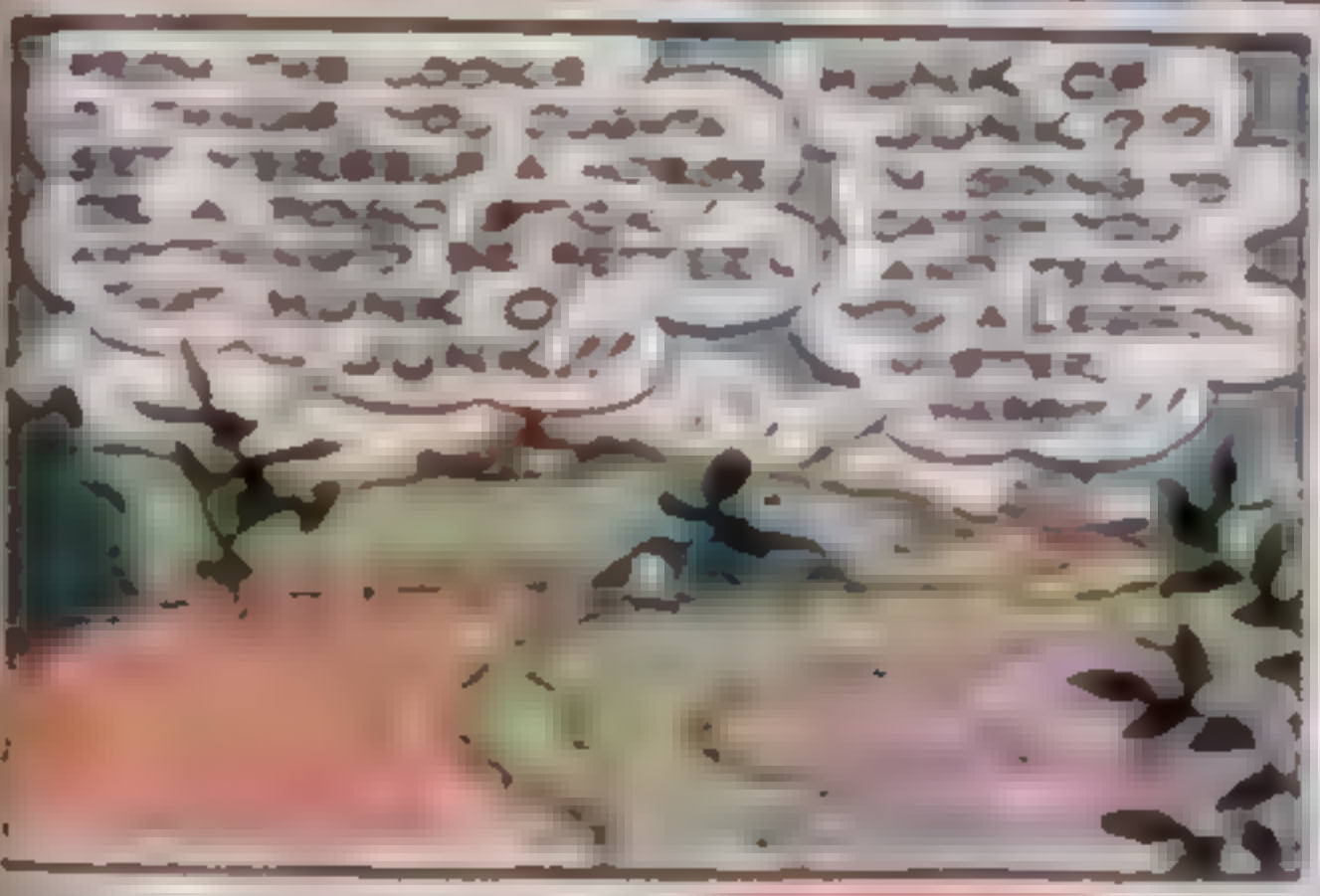
ELMER FUDD

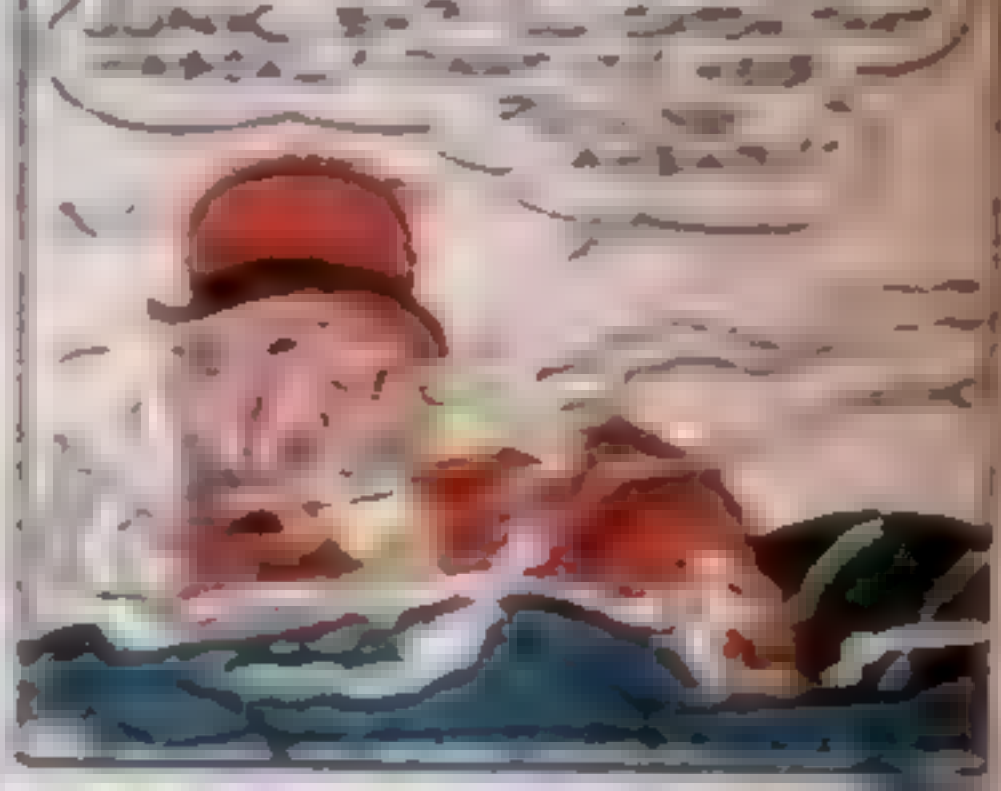
GWEAT GWEMLINS!

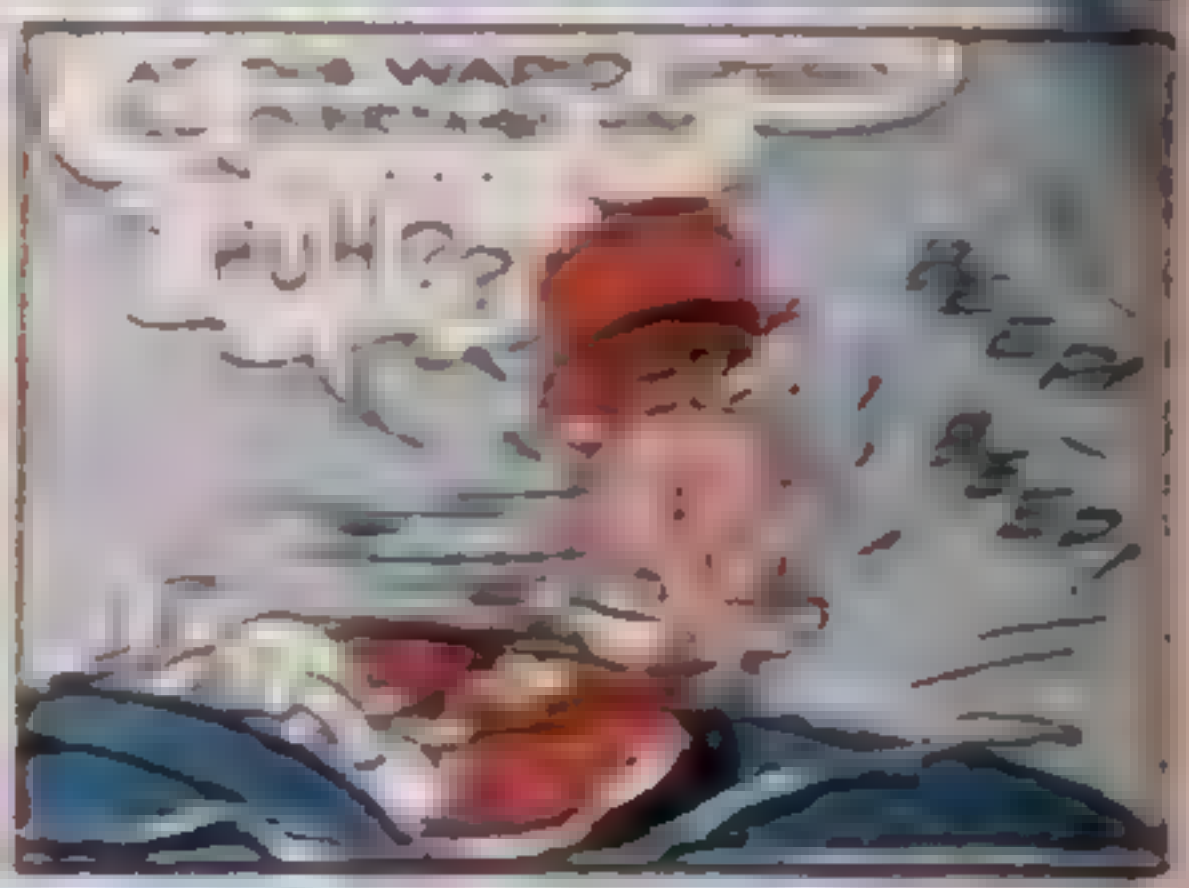
THIS

I NEED TO REPAIR MY TIE OR RUNNING GEAR AND/OR BY WUNNS!!

I HEAT DE TE NEAWEST GAWAGE. DEY'LL BE ABLE TO GET US OUT OF TWOUBLE.







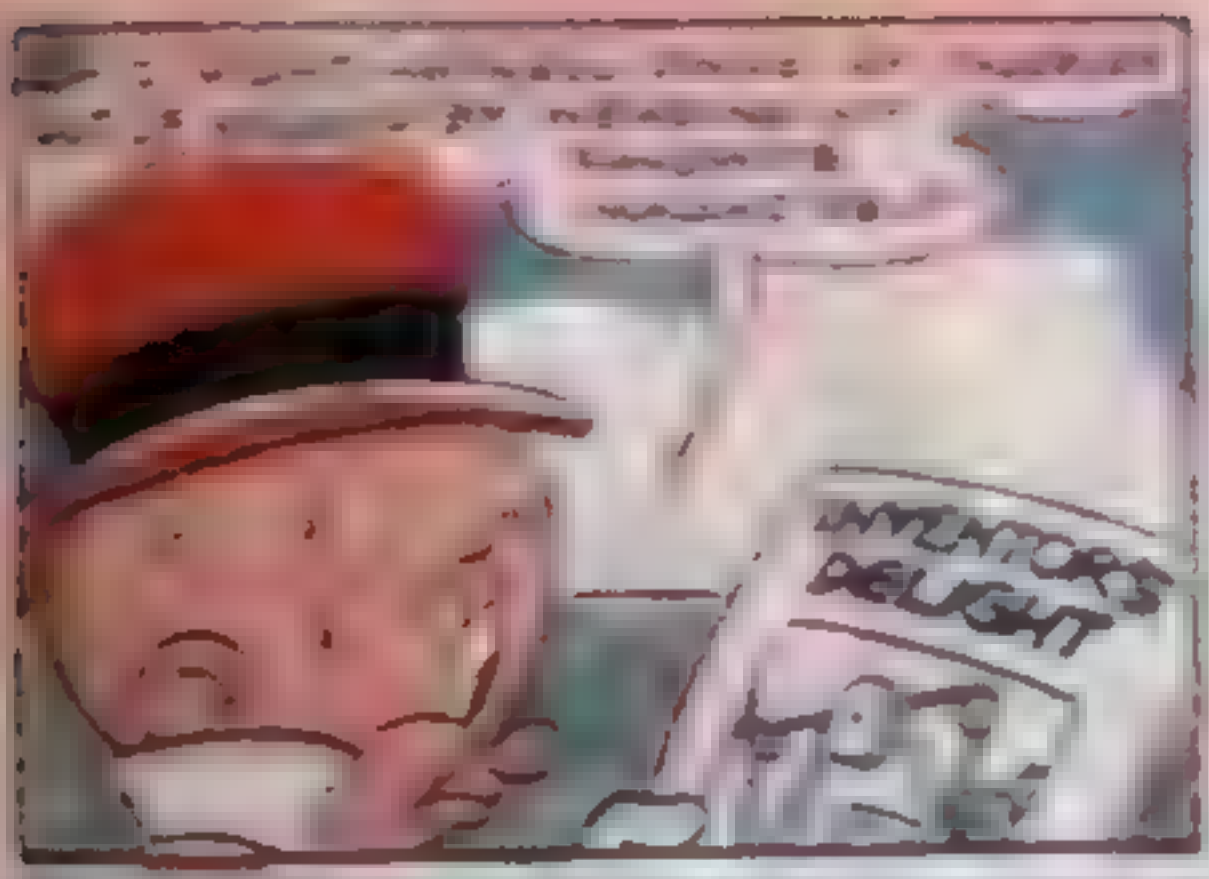
GNACIOUS!

I CAN SEE THAT ALL RIGHT!
I CAN SEE MY ANSWER IS TAKE A LOOK!!
- GRUNTS AND GROANS AND WHEEZES AND SNEEZES AND BELCHES
IT'S A PRETTY TRICKY LOOKIN' JOB!!
WELL, IT WAS ONLY A SMALL DENT AND SCRATCH!!
WHAT THE HECK DAMAGE CAN IT BE?
A NEW CAR!!
MAY SOUND A TALL ORDER TO SOME BUT I'VE SEEN WORSE JUST RUSTED COMPLETELY REBUILD 'ER!!
WELL SEE ABOUT THAT! I'M A PRETTY BIGGER MECHANIC THAN I'LL BE ABLE TO REPAIR IT!!
I'LL BET THIS WOKE MORNING NIGHT OR EVEN THE REASON WHY!!

I THINK WE'RE GOING TO CRASH!!

KAPOW
ERK
SLAMM

COMPLETELY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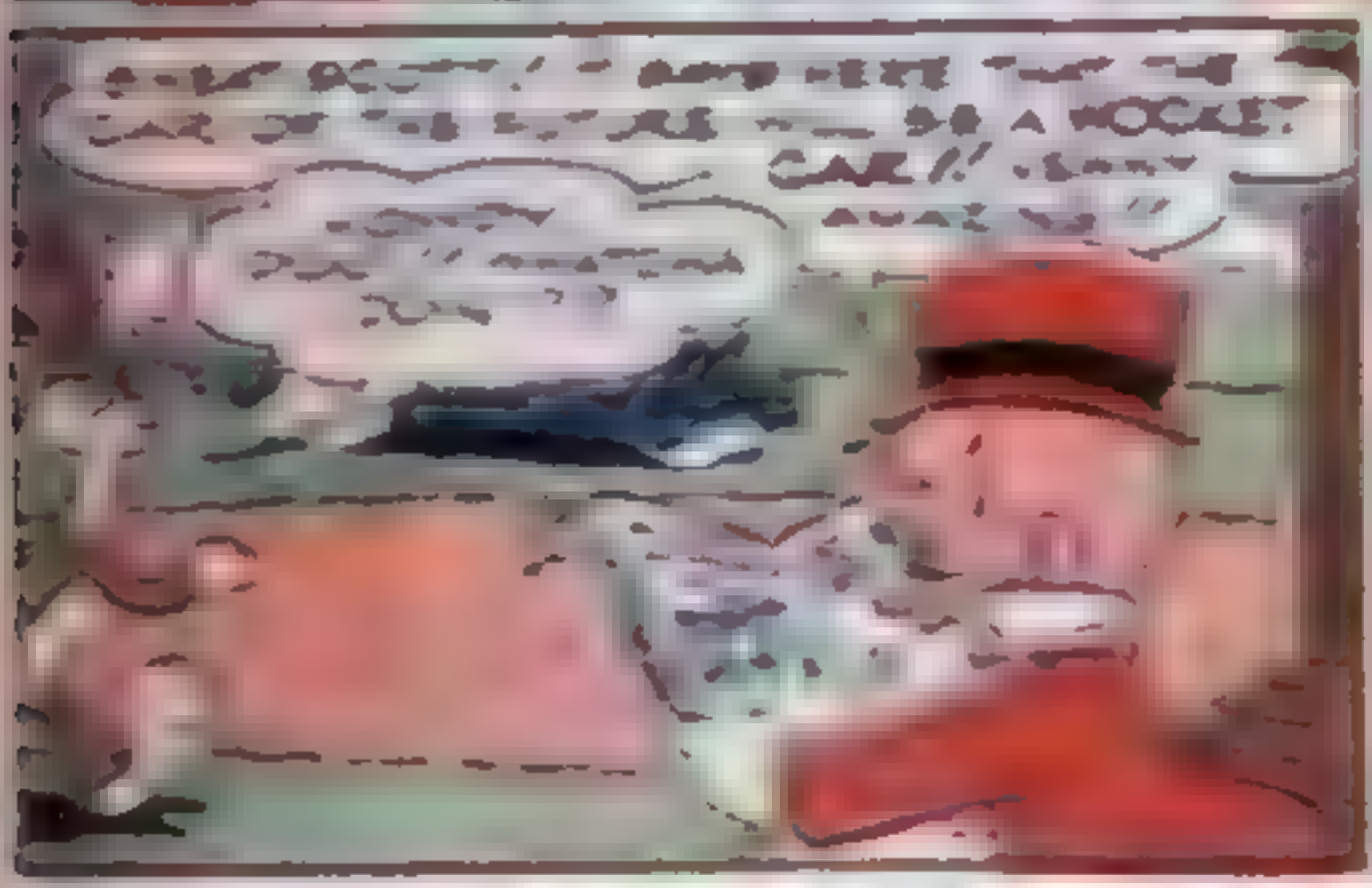
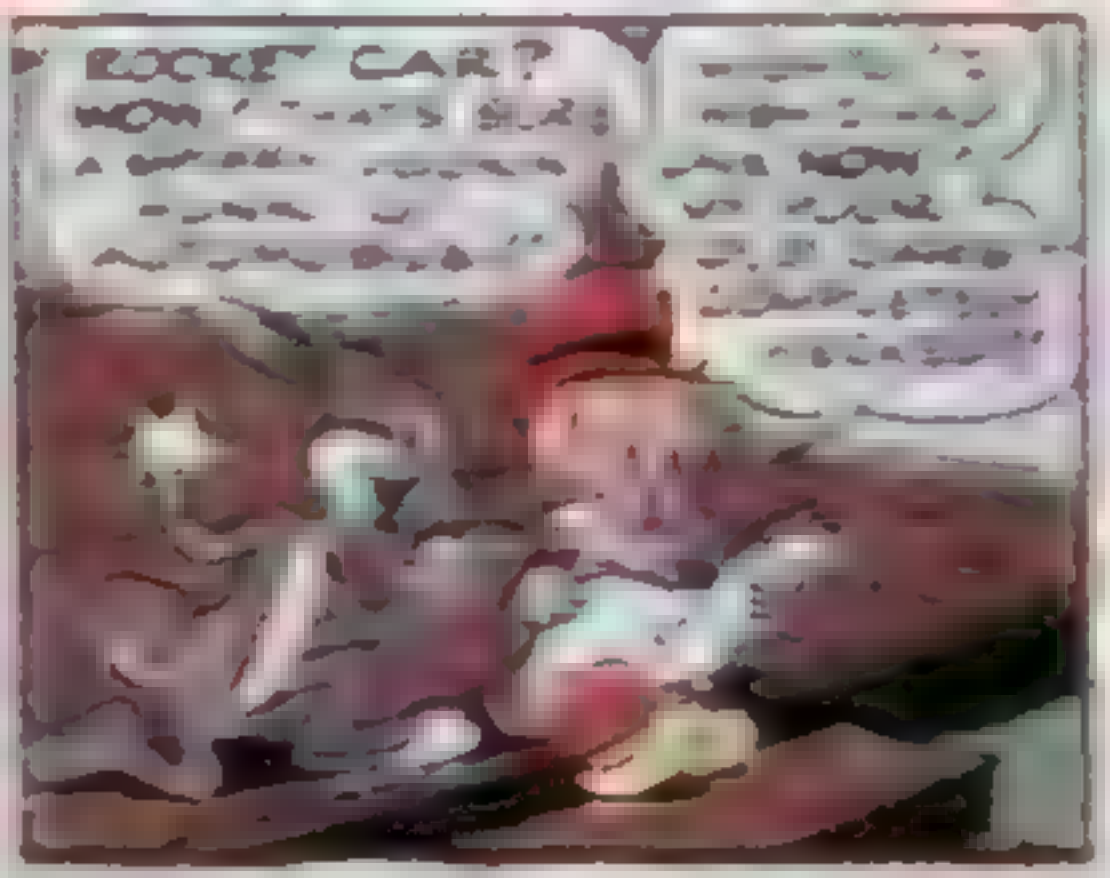
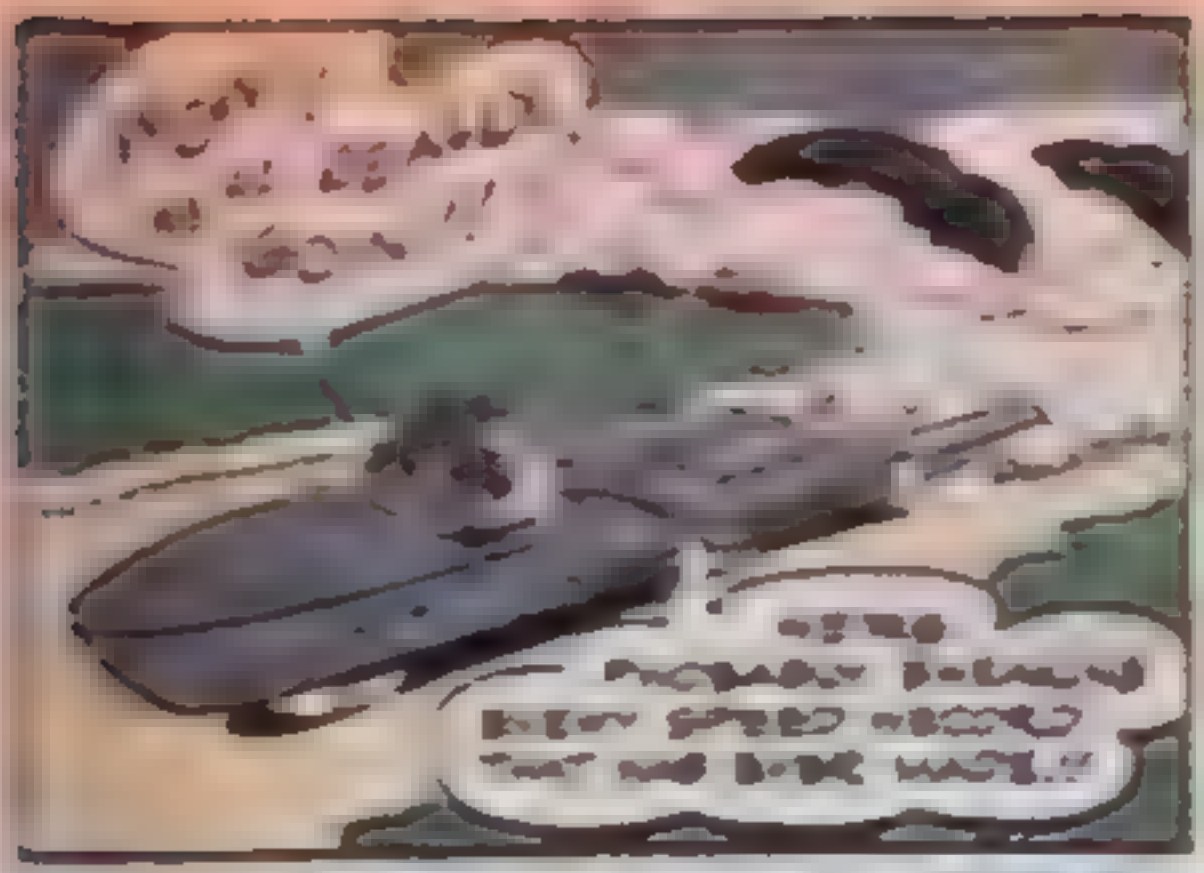
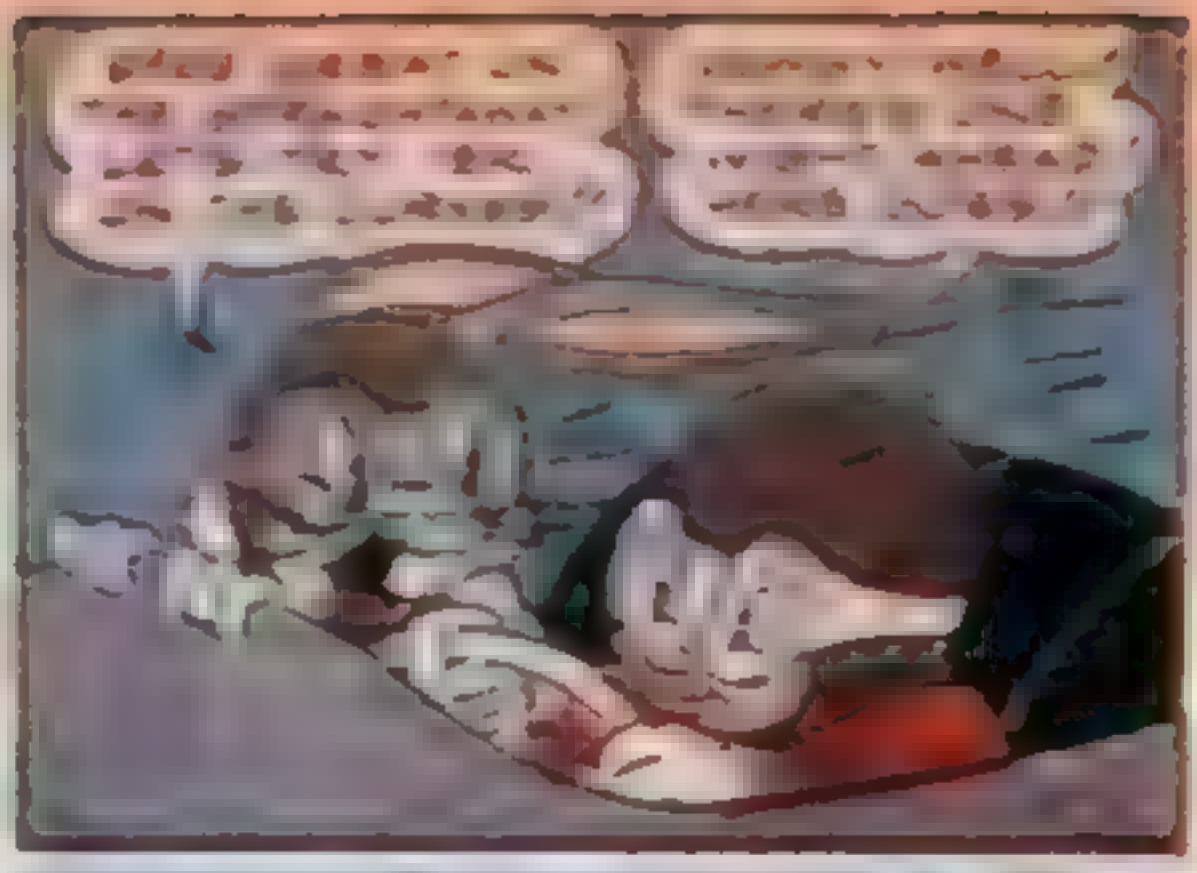


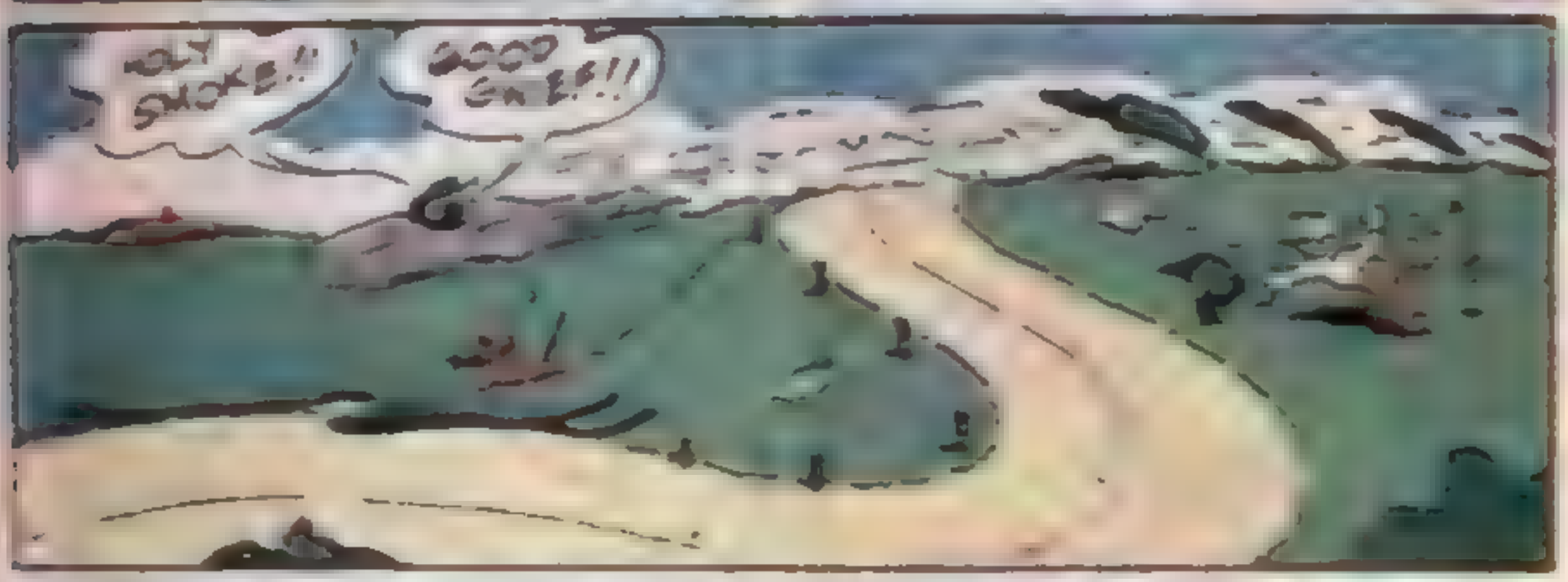
ROCKET CAR!!


ROCKET CAR?

FIREWORKS FACTORY
BOY ! A REAL ROCKET CAR !! NO TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM IS SOLVED !
I GOT TO TOOT ARE WE READY TO GO ?
I WANT TO START PUTTING THE ROCKETS IN MY "JUNK"
I'M HOOKED UP TO THE ROCKET-STARTER TOO !
GREAT ! I'LL BE RIGHT BACK !!
WHAT'S THESE NUTS AN GLASSES FOR, DOC ??
WE USED THEM BECAUSE IT'S PROBABLY TRUE AT THIS RATE OF SPEED !!
I'M ALMOST READY ! I DON'T WANT ME FORGOTTEN ANYTHING !!
OKAY DOC ! LEAVE SOME TOUCH OFF THEM ROCKETS !!

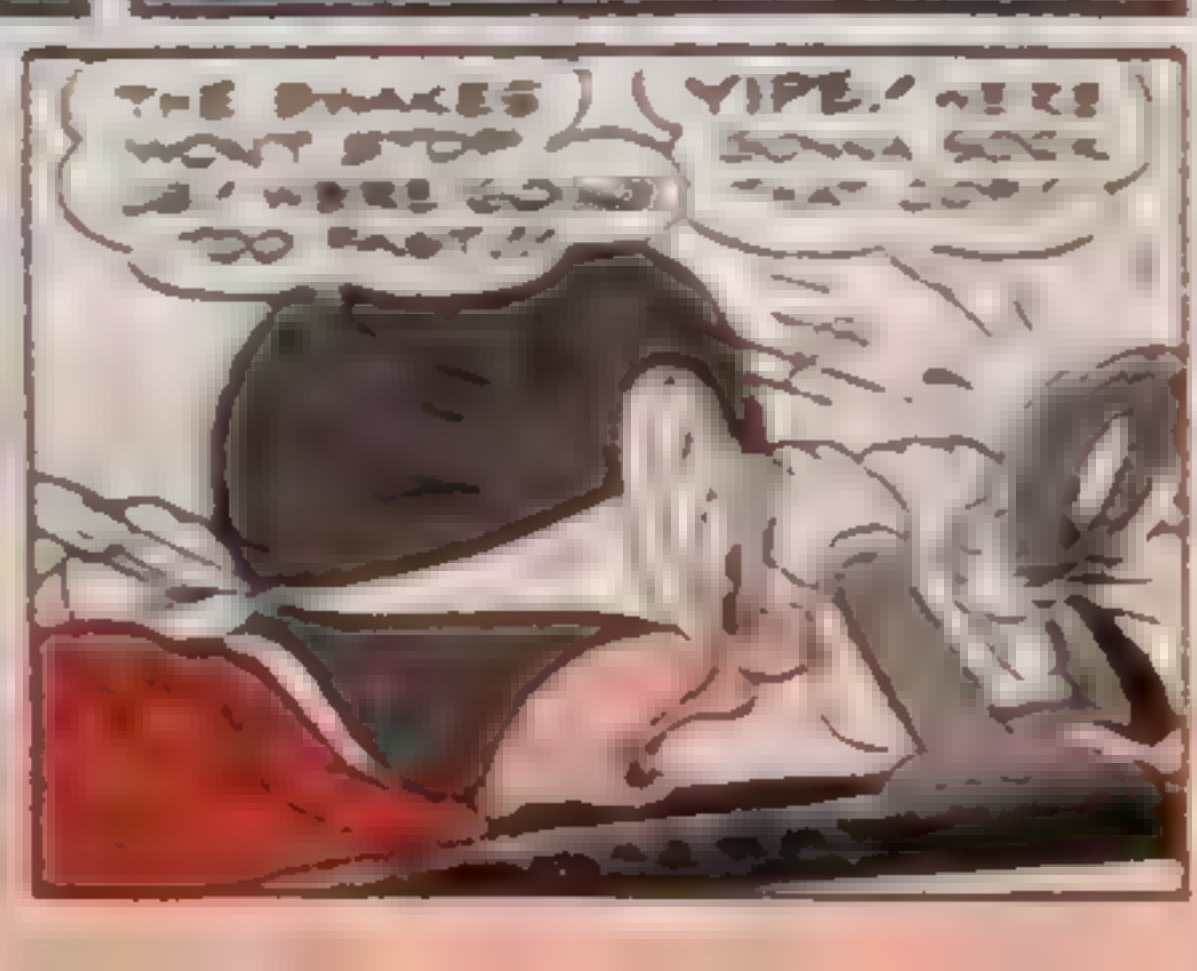


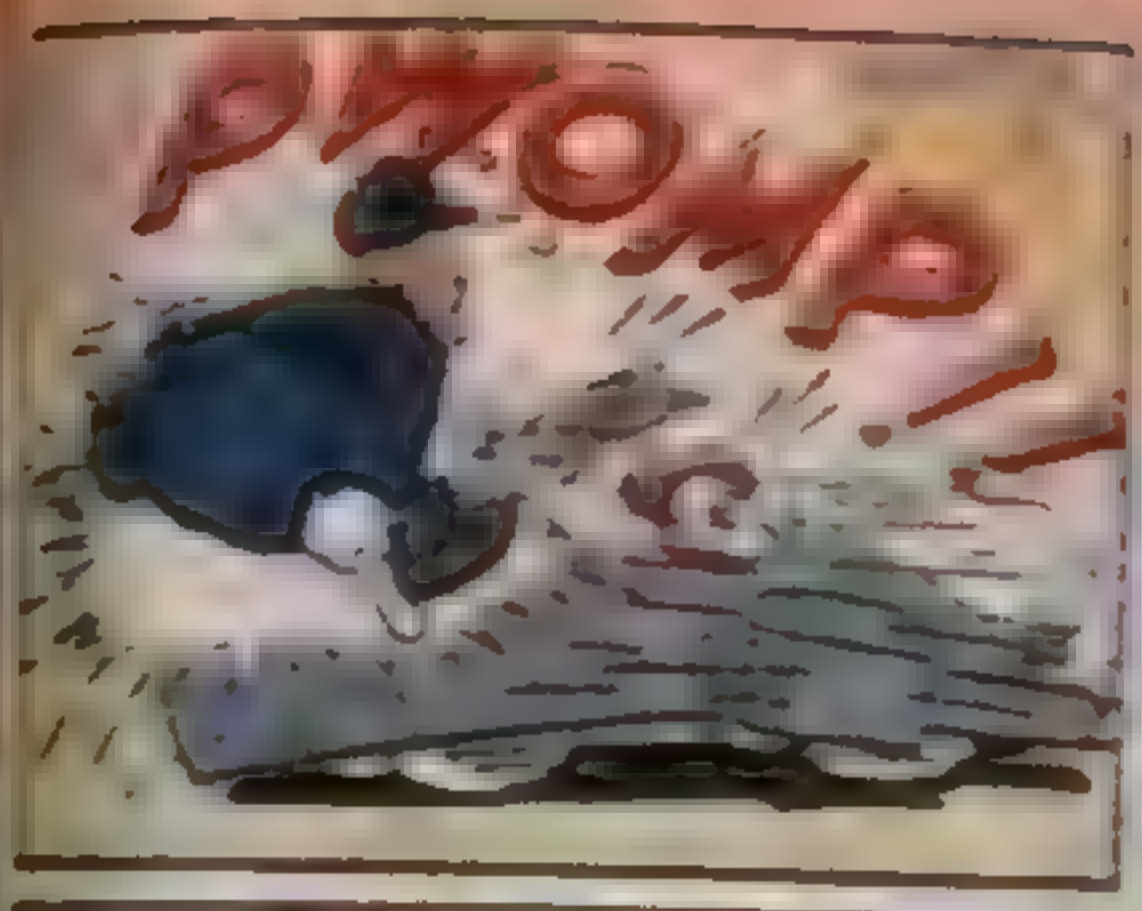



HOLY SMOKE!!
GOOD GOSH!!

AND NO ATTENTION

CITY DRIVIN'!!


THE BRAKES WON'T STOP IF WE'RE GOING TOO FAST!!
YIPE! WE'RE GONNA SOCK THAT CAR!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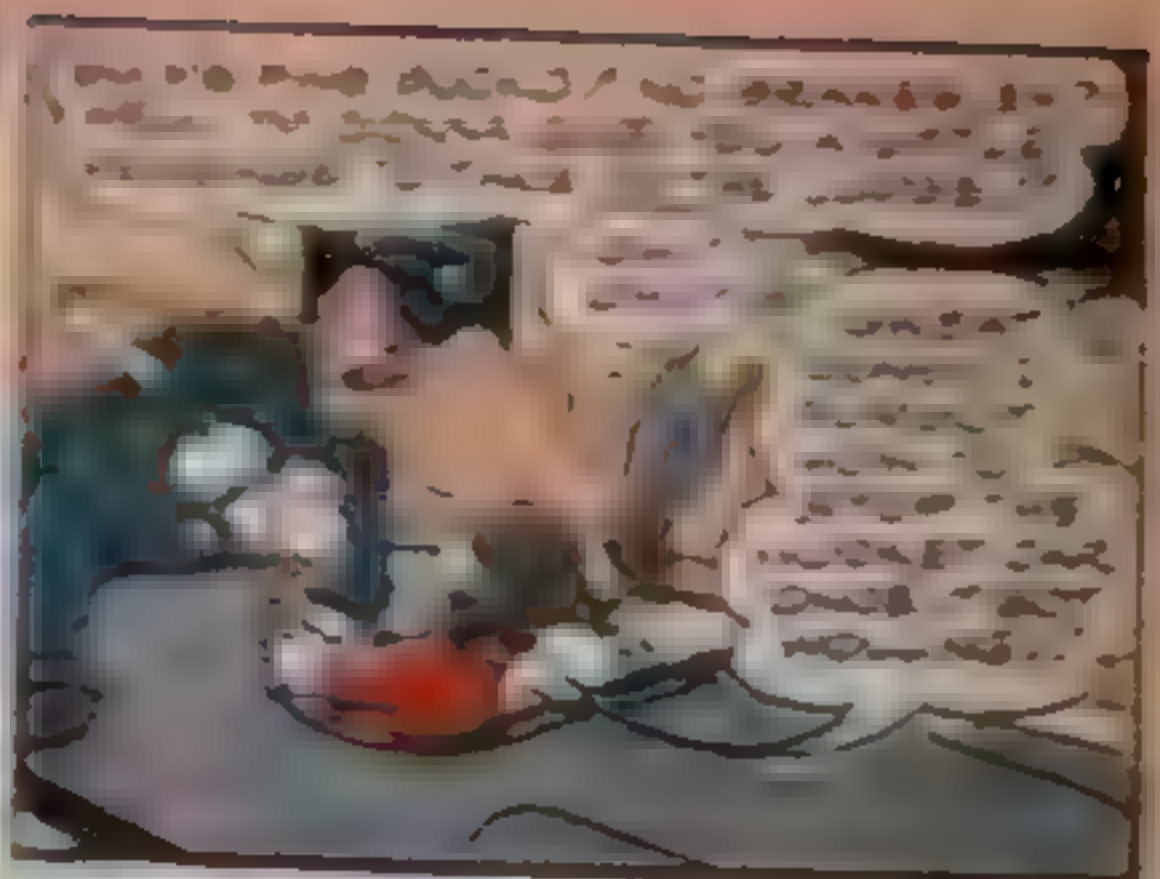
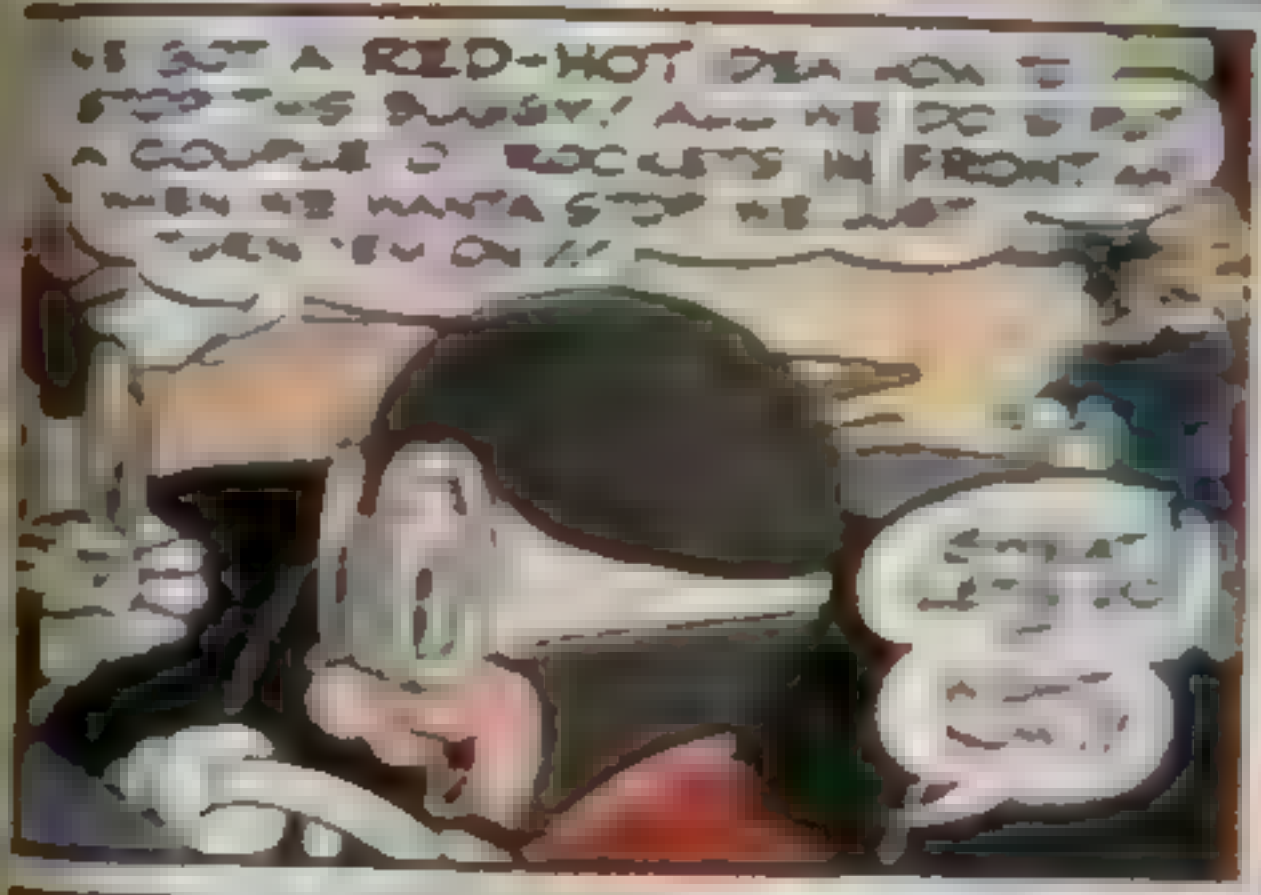
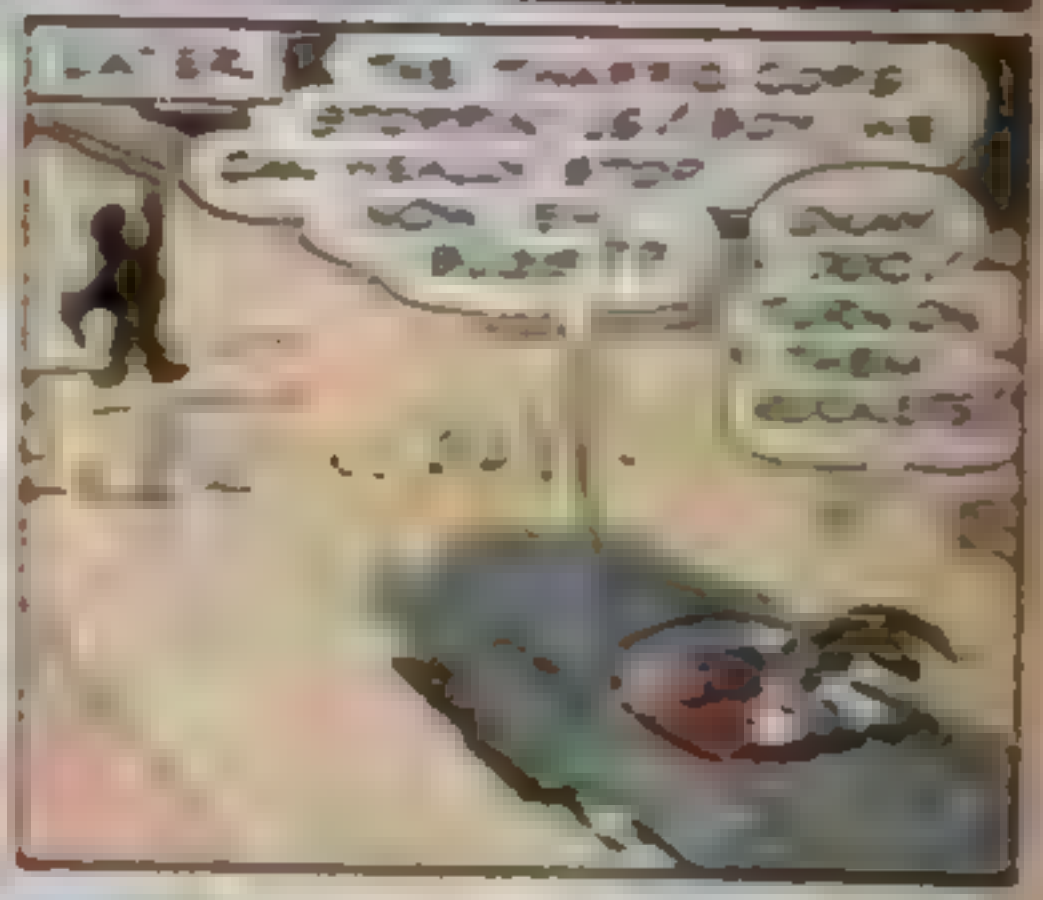
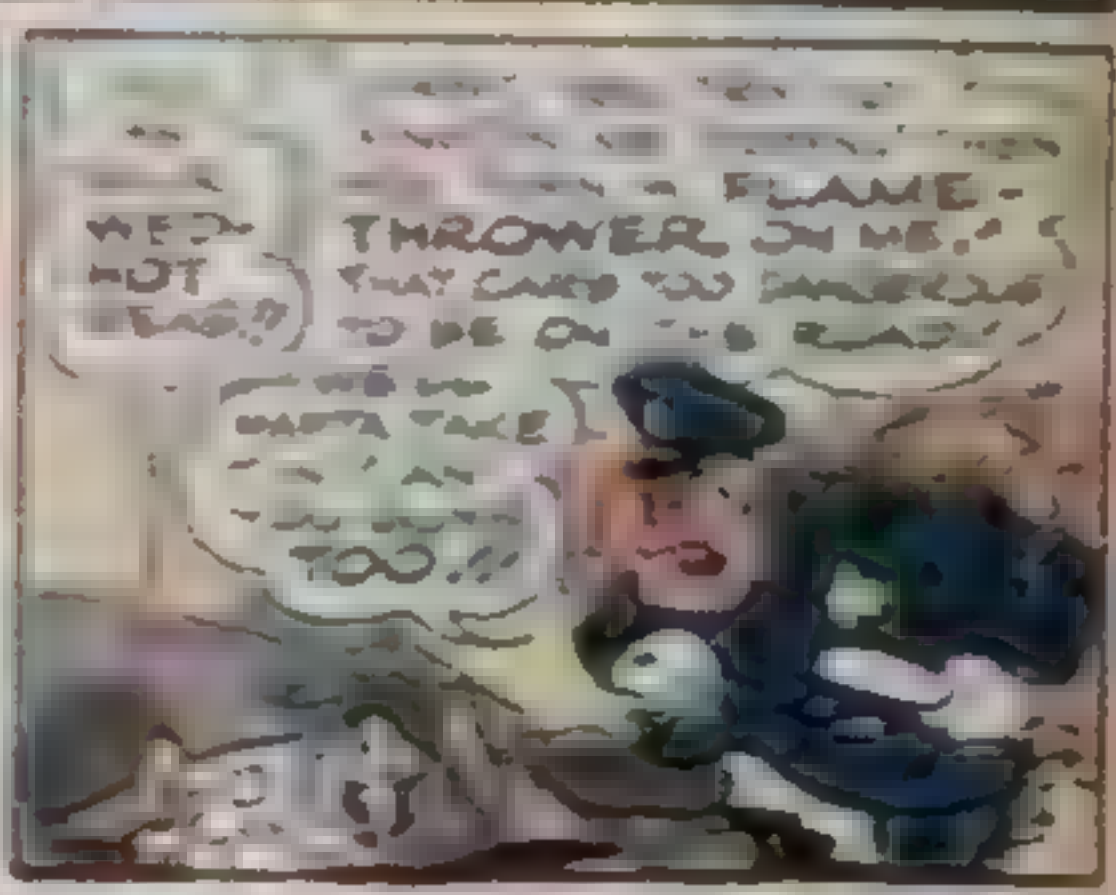
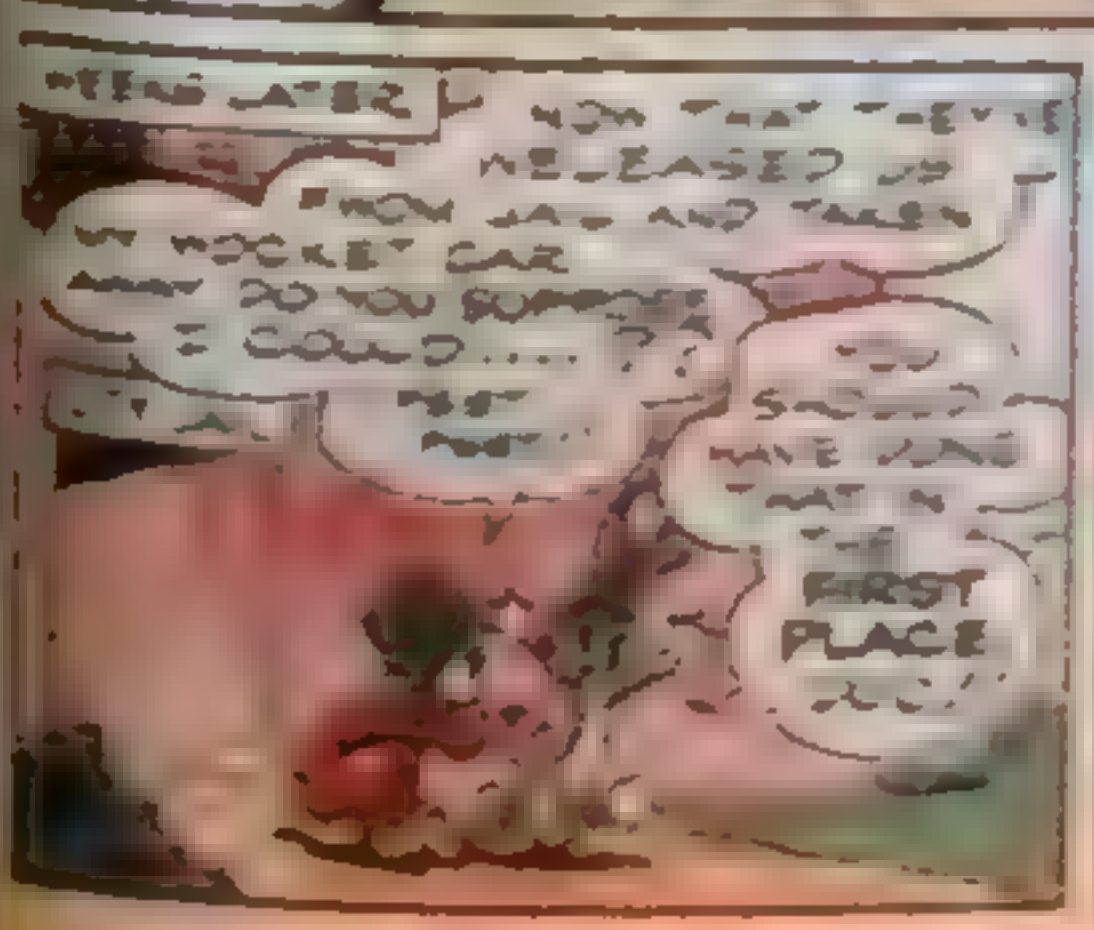


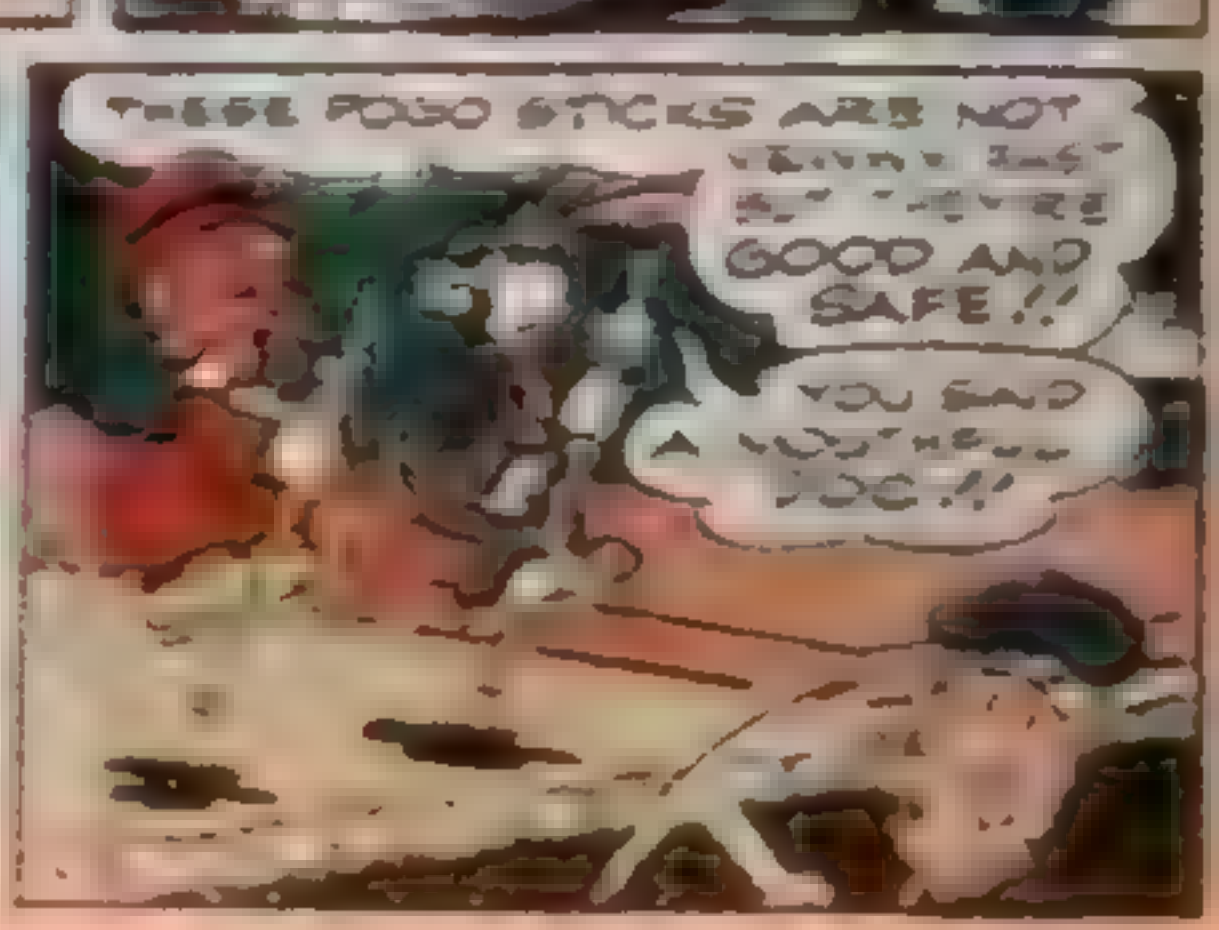

I'VE GOT A RED-HOT IDEA HOW TO STOP US BUGSY! ALL WE DO IS PUT A COUPLE O' ROCKETS IN FRONT AN WHEN WE WANTA STOP WE JUST TURN 'EM ON!!


LATER
THE THIEVES COPS STOPPED US! BUT WE CAN HEAD STOP HOW IT PUSH IT!
NOW JOE! TURN ON THE ROCKETS!

OUTCH!!
SCRATCH!!


WE'RE HOT ENUF!!
A FLAME-THROWER ON ME!
THAT GAME TOO DANGEROUS TO BE ON
WE'LL MAKE
TOO!!


BEING LATER
NOW THAT THEY'VE RELEASED US FROM JAIL AND TAKEN MY ROCKET CAR AWAY DO YOU SUPPOSE I COULD....?
NOT A CHANCE!
WE SHOULD HAVE JUMPED IN A FIRST PLACE JOE!


THESE POGO STICKS ARE NOT GOOD AND SAFE!!
YOU SAID YOU'VE NEW JOE!!

WALTER BROS. CARTOONS, INC. PRESENT

HENERY HAWK

IF YOU'LL PROMISE TO BE A GOOD BOY TODAY MAMMA'LL GIVE YOU SOME CHICKEN WISH BONE.

I PROMISE! FACT I'LL BE SO GOOD YOU'LL NEVER KNOW ME!

OH TO FIND SOMEONE TO PULL IT WITH ME!

HMMM CHICKEN AT LAST! I LOVE THE LEGS AND WINGS!

YOO HOO, CLUCK! WANT A PULL A WISH BONE WITH ME?

OH VERY WELL—

YOUR WISH WILL COME TRUE IF YOU GET THE LONGEST PIECE!

PREPOSTEROUS! BUT IF IT'LL MAKE YOU HAPPY....

WHEN I SAY THREE, WE BOTH PULL!

ONE-----
TWO-----

G-R-R-R-R--

G-R-R-R-R-R!

I CAN SMELL THAT BONE CENTURY... BETTER GET TO HIM!

IS ROBBERY! IT DAT IS ROBBERY!

MOST DOGS LIKE TO BURY THEIR BONES! WHY DON'T I FOLLOW HIM AND SEE WHERE HE HIDES IT?

OLLIE THAT'S A GOOD IDEA! COME ON!

THERE HE GOES--- INTO NEIGHBOR BUZZARD'S BACK YARD!

DOGS SHOULDN'T OUGHTER EAT CHICKEN BONES! THEY MIGHT GET CAUGHT IN YER THROAT!

WELL WAIT'LL HE COMES OUT, AN' I'LL GO IN AND DIG IT UP!

YOU WERE RIGHT, OLLIE! HE DOESN'T HAVE IT! HE BURIED IT SOMEWHERE IN THERE!

— BE EASY TO FIND
FRESH WOOD
AN'—

BEAT 'IM ALL! BRACY'S BEEN
WORKIN' IN THE GARDEN
AN' IT'S ALL FRESH
DIRT!

GOTTA DO IT
ALL OVER
FOR —!

THROW
OUT SOME
HERE —

— AN' GO BACK TO
SPACE UP V' GARDEN
SOME MORE!

GAWSH! V' GARDEN'S
RUINT! SOMEBODY'S BEEN
DIGGIN UP ALL V' VEGETABLES!

AN' LOST SOMEBODY
PENERGY HAWK!!
OH! OH!!

YOU YOUNG SCALLYWAG!
JEST WAITTIL I GITS YER
HAN ON YOU!
HERE O—E—
LET'S SCRAM!

I'VE GOT PRACTICALLY THE WHOLE SARCOPUS SKELETON... I WONDER WHERE HE BURIED--

-E DIDN'T! LOOK!

M-GOSH! I GOT IT!

WE'RE IN LUCK, HENERY! -ES ABOUT TO GO OVER THAT BRIDGE!

SO WHAT?

I'VE JUST READ A NEW FABLE BOOK ABOUT A GREEDY DOG!

-ERE'S WHAT WE--- DO!

OH LOOK, HENERY! THAT DOG DOWN THERE HAS A BIG BONE!

YEAH, A GREAT, BIG BONE!

-'S WORKING, HENERY! -E'S COMING OVER TO TAKE A LOOK!

GR-R-R!

-E SEES -IS OWN REFLECTION IN THE WATER THE B-G CHUMP!

ROOF! ROOF! GRR..
YIPPEE! I'VE DONE IT! I'VE DONE IT! I'VE DONE IT

JEEPERS! ANOTHER LEAK!

HEY! HOLD YOUR HANDS OVER THE LEAK OR YOU'LL SINK!

THAT'S WHAT I AM DOIN' BUT NOW I CAN'T PADDLE!

AN— AN' I'M DRIFTIN' DOWN STREAM!

JUMP OUT AND SWIM FOR IT! YOU'RE ABOUT TO GO OVER!

OH, G-G-GOLLY!!

THE CURRENT'S T-TOO STRONG! (BUBBLE) I CAN'T MAKE IT! H-H-HELP!

THANK GOODNESS! THE WISH BONE CAUGHT ON THAT ROCK!

HELP! OLLIE — SAVE ME! HELP!

OHHHHHHHH! TH' BONE BROKE! THIS IS TH' END!

SNAP!

HA! HA! I GUESS THERE WASN'T ANY DANGER AFTER ALL! IT WAS ONLY A TWO FOOT WATER FALL!

AND THE WATER IS SO SHALLOW YOU CAN WALK OUT OF IT!

DO YOU GET THE WISH BONE?

YEAH— BUT IT BROKE!

SO IT DID! AND YOU GOT THE LONGEST PIECE! WHAT DID YOU WISH FOR, HENERY?

JEEPERS! I WAS SO WORRIED I FORGOT TO MAKE A WISH!

MAYBE IT'S NOT SO LATE! MAKES A WISH NOW!

GEE! WHAT'LL I WISH FOR?

SO THERE YOU ARE, YOUNG MAN!

MAMMA!

I THOUGHT YOU PROMISED TO BE A GOOD BOY IF I GAVE YOU THAT WISH BONE!

I'VE BEEN GOOD, MAMMA---- HONEST!

OH, YES?

THAT'S NOT WHAT BEAKY BUZZARD SAID! HE SAID YOU DELIBERATELY DUG UP HIS ENTIRE GARDEN!

OH, THAT! I CAN EXPLAIN THAT! YOU SEE, ER--- WELL--- ER ---- ----

I'LL TEACH YOU TO BREAK YOUR PROMISES TO ME!

HAVE YOU MADE A WISH YET HENRY?

YEAH! I WISH SHE'D NEVER GIVEN ME THAT WISH BONE!

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